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Student Activities Banquet Honors UMass Students

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News Editor

The student activities banquet is held every spring to honor the clubs and participants in the clubs at UMass Lowell. The banquet consists of a dinner catered by ARA, an award ceremony, and a slide show.

Mary Connelly, director of Student Activities runs the whole event. She believes it is important to give something special to the students who put together and run all the activities on campus. She is especially involved in putting together the pictures for the slide show. The slide show starts with Family Day and ends with Spring Carnival.

Students at the banquet were impressed with the catering job done by ARA. From

the sauteed shrimp and chocolate covered strawberries to the manicotti to the carrot and chocolate cake, the meal was considered "suberb" by many students.

As the banquet progressed, the awards ceremony was started by Connelly. The awards to be given out were as follows: Student Organization of the Year, Student Organization Advisor of the Year, Student Activities Service Award, Emerging Student Leader of the Year, Treasurer's Award, Unsung Hero, and Student Leader of the Year.

The Returning Student Association(RSA) was chosen as the Student Organization of the year. RSA is an organization for adults who have gone back to school. They are constantly

organizing and planning activities not only for their members but for the entire university community. Other nominees for this award was The UML Literary Society and The Class of 95'.

Amy Seybold- Burke received the Advisor of the Year Award for her involvement with The Class of 95'. The Class described Seybold-Burke as someone who "didn't know what she was getting herself into, but did an outstanding job." Other Advisors nominated were Tammy Millette for the Sojourn and Imogene Stulken for the RSA.

This year a special Student Activities Service Award was given to the

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The Connector's own Nathan Butze was honored with the "Unsung Hero" award.
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UMass Press Release

The first-ever system-wide University of Massachusetts Annual conference on Undergraduate Research, Scholarly and Public Services, featuring oral and poster contributions from all four UMass campuses, constituted a resounding success for the presentations from our Lowell campus.

Held on Monday, April 17, this First Annual Conference attracted a contingent of over 50 representatives from Lowell among the altogether 350 participants who converged upon the

Amherst Campus for an intensive one-day meeting which culminated in an Awards Ceremony conducted by President Michael Hooker in which prizes were given to the 25 leading "presenters" from among 80 oral and 50 poster contributions.

The papers and projects were divided into four categories: (1) Life Sciences; (2) Physical Sciences and Engineering; (3) Humanities and Fine Arts; and (4) Social and Behavioral Sciences. Of the 25 awards, five were garnered by UMass-Lowell students in engineering: Nicholas Demien (sponsored by Prof. Charles

Thompson), "Steered Microphone Array for teleconferencing Applications"; Richard Kaufman (sponsored by Prof. Eric Sheldon), "The Thermodynamic Efficiency of a Hypothetical Heat Engine with a Displacer Ostensibly Operating in a Purely Adiabatic Cycle under Ideal Conditions"; Dave Kharas (jointly with Ben Bakker, Steve Iatrou and Richard Bell, sponsored by Prof. Sam Mil'shtein), "Light and Electron Beam Scanning of Solar Cells"; Joseph McInerney

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An Evening With Bobcat

Ben Bloomenthal
Connector Contributor

On Thursday, April 28, Bobcat Goldthwait, the man, the myth, and the legend, appeared in the University of Massachusetts at Lowell's own Cumnock Hall. The world-renown actor/comedian has starred in more than 15 films, including the *Police Academy* film series and *Scrooged*. He has been a part of the comedy business since the age of 15. The Boston-based performer tore up the stage with his classic routines, voice and jokes. For the most part, the audience loved it.

Before Bobcat graced the Cumnock stage with his greatness, comedian Tony V. opened this star-studded

evening at 8:30 p.m. Fifteen minutes later, the audience broke out in laughter. At the top of the hour they were rolling on the floor. Students responded so well to Tony's stand-up routine that they didn't want him to stop. Then there was a pause...

The main act, the person for whom everyone was waiting, came from behind the curtain. Burning up the stage with his own brand of unique humor, he made his usual enormous entry onto the stage as the audience cheered him on!

Some of the highlights during the evening were jokes aimed at Jay Leno, the O.J. Simpson Trial, and former Los Angeles Police Chief Daryl Gates. The crowd roared with approval at the comedian's timely jokes.

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Bobcat gets lots o laughs on the Cumnock Stage.

photo by Mark Charbonneau

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Worthless Promises

Drug Companies Keep Boosting Prices
Ron Pollack

Seventy-year-old Marian K. Of Ogdensburg, New York, is widowed and lives alone. Every month, Mrs. K. must pay \$163 for medications to treat her diabetes and heart disease, up from \$120 just one year ago. She has to spend another \$120 every month on other health related costs. Since her Social Security check will not cover all of her medical expenses, plus groceries and other bills, Mrs. K. often stretches her medication. Recently, when Mrs. K. skipped her medications for three days because she couldn't afford to refill her prescriptions, she wound up in the hospital.

Mrs. K. is not alone. Many Americans have to struggle to afford skyrocketing prescription drug prices. For many, high drug prices means choosing between food and medicine--a potentially lethal choice.

High drug prices are not a new problem. In fact, in 1993, seventeen major drug companies, representing two-thirds of the U.S. prescription drug market, promised to address the drug price problem for consumers. They said that they would do it by holding over-all drug price increases to the rate of inflation or below.

When they made this promise, the big drug companies must have been crossing their fingers behind their backs. In fact, the prices of America's twenty top-selling brand name prescription drugs increased more than one-and-a-half times faster than the general rate of inflation last year.

Price of Premarin Went Up 85 Percent

The biggest sticker shock came from Wyeth-Ayerst, which manufactures Premarin: the price of the estrogen replacement therapy, which protects older women from osteoporosis and heart disease, went up 85 percent from 1989 to 1994. Skyrocketing drug prices are hard on many consumers--especially older Americans. While increases in seniors' Social Security checks are pegged to inflation, the prices of their medications go up much faster than inflation. Seniors are also more likely to need prescription drugs than younger people--85 percent of seniors take at least one prescription drug each year. Medicare does not cover prescription drugs, and nearly half of the elderly do not have any insurance to help pay for prescriptions.

While Americans risk their health, and sometimes their lives, by skimping on medications or cutting back on food, the drug companies continue to make high profits. The median after-research profit rate in 1993 for the makers of the 20 top-selling prescription drugs was more than five times higher than the median profit rate for all Fortune 500 companies that year.

High Drug Prices Can Make You Sick

Drug companies' desire to make lots of money is not unusual--that's what all businesses want. But if a shirt company drives their prices up faster than inflation, year after year, the worst that will happen is that people will not be able to afford to buy that shirt. But when the drug companies raise prices too quickly and too often, elderly widows get sick and die. Shirt manufacturers may have consumers by the lapel; the drug companies have our parents by the throat.

Drug company price increases have become a threat to Americans' health, and they must be moderated.

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"I think it has always been a prudent part of higher education in Lowell, Massachusetts."
- George Bush



Question of the Week:

"What did you think of this year's editions of University Speaks?"

"I want that out of the paper. Don't think I can't do it. I have mob ties."
- Mario Cuomo



"I always loved getting a drink and crawling into a new edition of U Speaks."
- Ted Kennedy



Good luck to all graduates!



POLICE LOG

Dan O'Grady
Ryan Talbot
Connector Staff

Friday, April 28

- 00:41- Medical call, Leitch. UML-EMS responded.
- 01:54- Disturbance, Leitch lobby.
- 02:10- Medical call, Eames. UML-EMS responded.
- 07:16- Vandalism to entrance gate of Quad.
- 20:03- Odor of gas, Eames basement. L.F.D. notified.
- 20:45- Crowd dispersed, University at LaFontaines.
- 21:01- Vehicle stop, Scaeff at Walker. Verbal issued.
- 21:25- Stolen vehicle recovered by Lawrence Police Dept.
- 22:16- Vehicle stop, University by Riverside. Verbal issued.
- 22:18- Shut down party, White St. Kegs confiscated.
- 23:45- Alcohol confiscated by R.A., Leitch Hall.

Saturday, April 29

- 01:34- Medical Call, Concordia. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 02:15- Fire alarm, Donahue Hall.
- 02:49- Donahue R.A. confiscated a bag of marijuana.
- 09:30- Student stuck in the dumb waiter of Costello gym.
- 14:44- Vehicle stolen from Riverside lot. Recovered in Lawrence.
- 18:55- Medical call, Concordia Hall. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 21:00- Suspicious person reported, Fox lot.
- 21:52- Vehicle stop, Camelot by ball field. Verbal issued.

Sunday, April 30

- 00:22- Large party broken up, Sarah & Gershom Ave.
- 09:40- Abandoned vehicle, IPI lot.
- 20:51- Vehicle stop, front of Fox Hall. Citation issued for speeding.

Monday, May 1

- 01:20- Fire alarm, Donahue Hall.

Tuesday, May 2

- 16:20- Medical call, Health Services. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 16:32- Vandalism to a room, 3rd floor Donahue.
- 19:23- B & E into a vehicle, Donahue lot.
- 21:42- Vehicle stop, University by French St. Verbal issued.
- 22:42- Fire alarm, Leitch Hall.

Wednesday, May 3

- 01:48- Harassing phone calls, Fox Hall.
- 07:10- Vandalism to entrance gate of Olsen lot.
- 11:30- B & E into a vehicle, Donahue lot.
- 19:42- Vehicle stop, University by White. Verbal issued.
- 23:05- Guitar stolen, Concordia Hall.

Thursday, May 4

- 00:46- Medical call, Sheehy Hall. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 11:26- Vehicle stop, Rogers St. Citation issued.
- 13:06- Report of ducks loitering on the ball field by Riverside lot.
- 13:07- Medical call, Dugan Hall. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.
- 15:27- Pedestrian struck by a vehicle, University by Riverside. UML-EMS & Trinity responded.

The Police Log is provided by the UMass Lowell Police Department.

I would like to thank UMLPD for their help these past two years, UML-EMS for their support and Ryan Talbot who is taking over as I am graduating. Thanks!! Dan O.

Bobcat keeps UMass Laughing



Comedian Tony V. warms up the audience for Bobcat.

photo by Mark Charbonneau

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At about 9:20 the audio system apparently shorted out, and Bobcat, as usual, turned a moment of chaos into a screaming success. By the time the "Audio Engineers" repaired the error, the veteran comic had the whole auditorium in stitches. Shortly thereafter, Bobcat held an "open forum" during which people could shout out their ideas and opinions, and during which Bobcat voiced his own concerns and opinions. One of the ideas that was touched upon was the bomb-scare problem at the university. Amazingly, Bobcat transformed this small piece of information into a piece of work that students found incredibly funny! He included the FBI in his comedic sketch, as well as the many other authorities who are investigating this matter.

Bobcat closed the show when the student's ideas were exhausted. He asked the audience to give Mr. Tony V. one more round of applause and then he was off.

Research Conference is a Memorable Event

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(sponsored by Prof. B. Minaie), "Analysis of alloy Solidification"; bill Teynor (jointly with A. Kozloff, sponsored by Prof. Sam Mil'shtein), "Design of a Front Contact to Increase the Efficiency of Polysilicon Solar Cells." Other papers from Lowell were on topics that ranged from clinical Lab Sciences (sponsored by Prof. Jacob Lam) and Psychology (sponsored by Prof. Mary Roth Walsh) to Chemical Engineering (sponsored by Prof. Turgay Erturk) and Physics (sponsored by Prof. Eric Sheldon). Among the judges with the difficult task of selecting prize-winners from among an impressive array of contributions were Dr. Hamid Shirvani, Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, and Dr. Eric Sheldon, Honors Director and Professor of Physics. Other faculty who attended the event were Drs. Turgay Erturk, Samson Mil'shtein, B. Minaie, Frank Walsh and Mary Roth Walsh. The

featured Luncheon Speaker was Prof. Eric Sheldon. After luncheon, as an alternative to attending further presentations, students were able to attend workshops on diverse subjects, such as studying abroad, applying to professional and graduate schools, internships

"As long as I am the President of UMass, this is going to be a growing, annual event."

-President Hooker

and resume writing, and thesis writing.

The concept of holding an intra-campus Undergraduate Research Conference stemmed from a meeting of the four Honors Directors last year that seized upon an idea mooted several years ago by Dr. Linda Nolan (Amherst),

and funding was provided by the President's Office, matched by contributions from the Honors Programs at each of the four campuses. The principal organizer was Dr. Linda Nolan (Amherst Honors Director), with co-organizers Dr. Louise Habicht (Dartmouth), Dr. Monica McAlpine (Boston) and Dr. Eric Sheldon (Lowell), aided by Honors Program staff. Participation was not restricted to Honors students, and though many of the papers represented Senior Projects, all levels from 1st-year to 4th-year of undergraduate study were featured.

As one of the first system-wide activities of the University of Massachusetts, the event was applauded by President Hooker who enthusiastically stated, "As long as I am President of UMass, this is going to be a growing, annual event and I will always be here to participate." For all present, it was a memorable, stimulating and impressive experience that affirmed the high quality of our undergraduate UMass students—and of their faculty mentors.

Connector's Own Nathan Butze Wins Unsung Hero Award

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Emergency Medical Services (EMS) for their "constant and continued excellence."

Emerging Student Leader went to Patricia Coffey who stated, "I was completely surprised."

Patty works in the Office of Student Activities and Connelly explained that Patty is a student who got very involved in the University Community in a short amount of time. Russ Porter was the other nominee for the award.

Another new award this year is the Treasurer's Award. In the Student Activities Book

keeper's words, "This award is for someone who makes our lives a little easier."

The award went to Michelle Auger and the other nominee was Leslie Smith.

This year, the Student Leader Award went to both Natalie Abreau-Activities Commission and Matthew Drouin-Class of '95'. As Connelly stated, "Natalie probably goes to more weekly club meetings than anyone I know." and "If you have a cause, just let Matt know and he will support it."

Other nominees for the award were Nathan Butze-Connector, Katherin Mercurio-Literary Society, and Jony

Perez-National Society of Black Engineers.

The favorite award of the Connector Staff was The Unsung Hero Award which was given to Nathan Butze. As Connelly said, "If you club members think it is difficult to get an advertisement into the paper you should see what it is like to put one out."

Butze was the editor-in-chief of the Connector for two years. This spring he has turned his gavel over to a new editor. He is well respected within the staff says Angela Rivera, "Nathan is the coolest, he has been a strong leader for us and he will be missed."



The Connector Staff enjoys the fantastic dinner prepared by ARA.

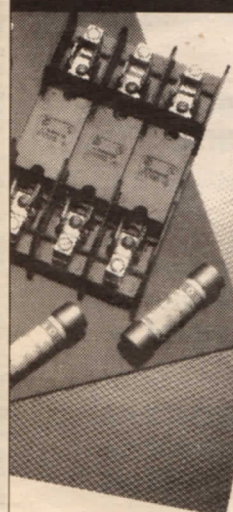
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Dan O'Grady was the other nominee for Unsung Hero. Dan is the Police Log Editor for the Connector and has been actively involved in Student

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The entire night was successful. Good food and a good time was had by all who attended.

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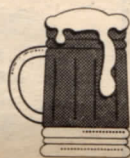


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Spring Carnival: A Huge Success



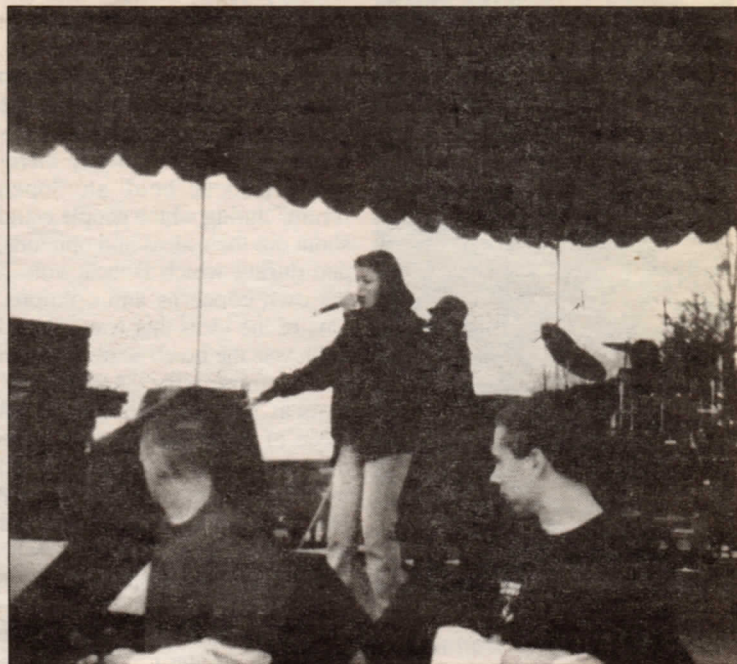
Students enjoy the Ferris Wheel at Spring Carnival '95.

phot by Jerry Donovan



Students get wild & crazy at Spring Carnival.

photo by Elizabeth Phillips



Digable Planets get the crowd going at Spring Carnival.

photo by Elizabeth Phillips

Lisa Schurga
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UMass Students agree that Spring Carnival was a big success this year. With the rides, club booths, and Digable Planets; there was no way to go wrong.

Most of the clubs on campus were represented with some type of booth. There were brownies, nachos, strawberry shortcake, candy and many students personal favorite-Pie a RA in the face.

Students enjoyed all the

favorites that Student Activities always supplies such as Tarot Card Readings and Caricatures. The caricatureline was so long that it eventually had to be cut off.

Other activities included "big glove" boxing, bouncing volleyball, and some big contraption that spins around and round.

Chris Wall, Assistant director of Student Activities commented, "This was the first year that we put a lot of changes into effect. We have gotten a great deal of positive comments about the new set up of club booths and such."

Chris Wall also refuted the rumor going around that this will be the last spring carnival. He is sure there will be many more to come.

Not only were there positive comments made about the new set up of Spring Carnival but students loved the music group, Digable Planets. Junior Jessica Vreeland opined, "I think this is the best group they have had so far. Everybody seemed to be really into it."

Student Activities was also very fond of Digable Planets. As Chris Wall asserted, "They

(Digable Planets) were the nicest group of people. Both the performers and the group managers worked really well with the students."

During the bands performance, students danced and bounced up and down in front of the stage, many eagerly awaiting Digable Planets most well-known song, "Cool Like That." When the band left the stage, the crowd screamed and clapped until they come out to perform some more.

Junior Cheryl McCarthy added, "The band was great and

the new set-up was nice and everything but I wish for once we could have nice weather.

Many agree that Spring Carnival seems to be cursed with bad weather, but UMass students have learned to deal with it.

All in all the day went well according to Wall, "We were hoping for better weather but the day was still great."

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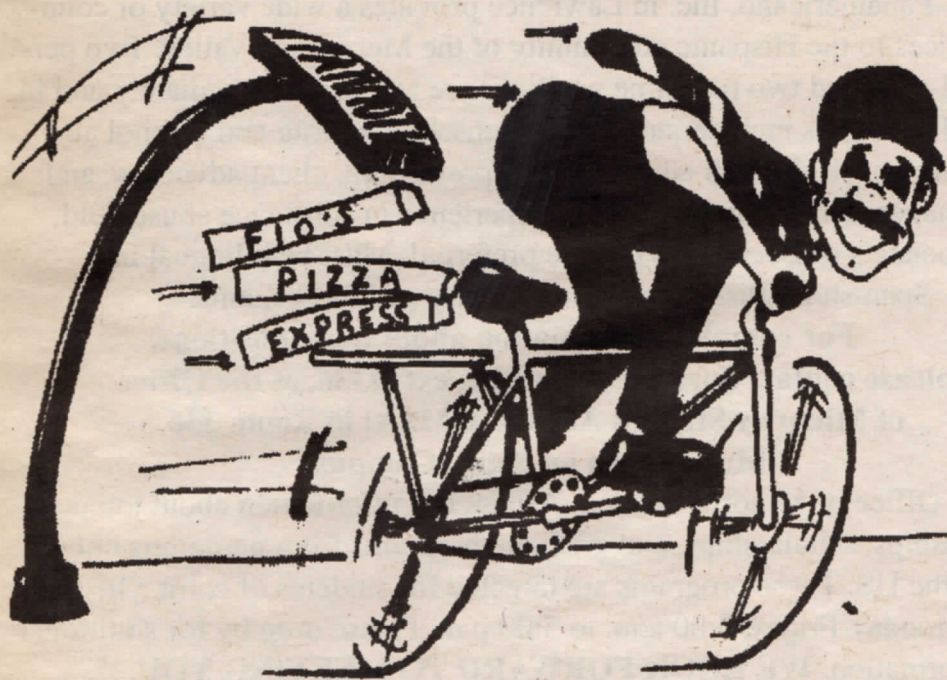
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small fire in the trash barrel. A few of the girls in my hall put the fire out before any of the alarms went off.

If this incident had happened very late in the evening, the results could have been much worse. Nothing happened this

time, but what happens when there is a fire and someone gets hurt? I never thought that I could have been the cause of anything like this. What happened to me can happen to anyone. Now I am serving twenty hours of community service. Also,

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-Anonymous

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lows: Session I only: \$350; Session II only: \$350; Sessions I and I : \$750; 2 weeks past Session II: \$100; Less than a session: \$10 per day; Weekly rate: \$50 per week.

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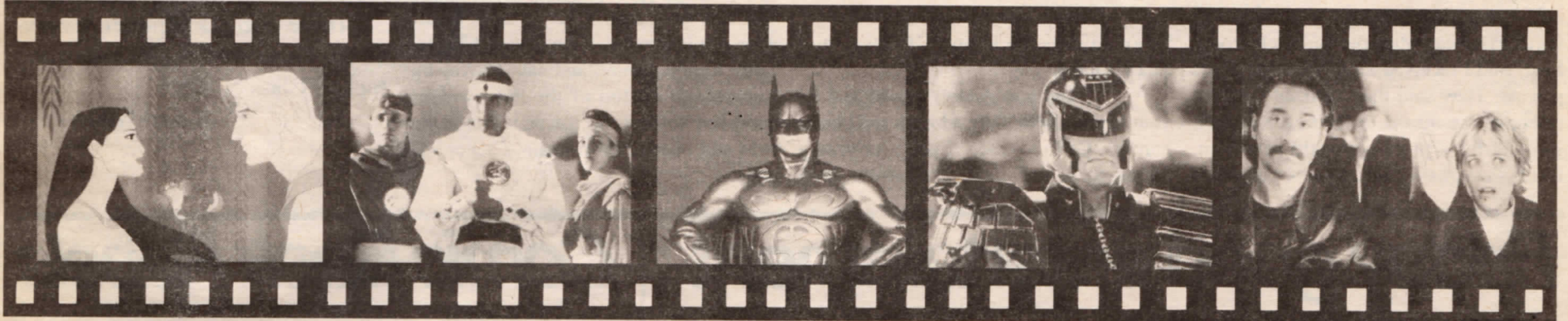
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Arts & Entertainment

Superheroes, supermodels, & super action mark this summer's movies



But to whom will the summer translate into superbucks?

Angela Rivera
Arts & Entertainment

Pocahontas, *Mighty Morphin' Power Rangers*, and *Batman Forever* are a few of the hyped up summer releases coming at you full speed--before you know it, you'll be trampled by a horde of little kids brandishing the inevitable promotional items from Burger King and McDonalds while standing in the ticket line. While one can predict what will happen with the barrage of children's feature releases, no one can tell the future of the adult films. This is merely an attempt to highlight what's to come.

Disney once again has flooded the market with pre-release promotion over a new animated movie; this year, it's their "historical" romance *Pocahontas*. As well animated as it seems, I'm not quite sold on the idea that Native Americans will be entirely pleased this Disney version (especially when I failed to see any Native American consultants on the credits for the soundtrack.) However, as the predictable course goes, it'll probably be yet another box-office money machine for Disney to chalk up on their drawing boards.

Batman Forever, the third (and final?) installation of the saga of The Dark Knight (originally produced by Tim Burton) is hyped up to be a fantastic dark comic thriller that includes Jim

Catwoman.) I'm not quite sure that kids are up for another Batman (as *Batman Returns* paraphernalia still clutter the clearance bins at Toys R Us.)

More *Mighty Morphin' Power Rangers*. God. When will THAT all end. Judge Dredd--will kids actually understand who he is? I'm skeptical, though I like the trail

there is a slim chance that Bruce Willis can pull through as a serious actor with this one.

Nah.

How's this for super stuff--Cindy Crawford makes her motion picture debut with Billy Baldwin in *Fair Game*. Hey, I'm game for this one (but be forewarned that whatever Crawford lacks acting-wise has to be compensated for by Baldwin--and that's not saying much.)

French Kiss is an excellent comedy currently playing at theatres nation-wide; it's been praised as the best romantic comedy of the year (though the *While You Were Sleeping* commercials beg to differ.) Unlike *Sleeping*, *Kiss* has the ultimate comedy recipe: Kevin Kline as a Frenchman avec Meg Ryan. Whether or not you're a Meg Ryan fan, *Kiss* will show you Ryan at her best comedic role.

A Walk In the Clouds (not pictured here) will be the new Keanu Reeves release; a true melodrama with a truly maudlin plot and romantic cinematography (the kind where they use a mist filter on the camera lens throughout the whole movie.) It is doubtful that *Clouds* will rake in the dough, though it may be a critics' choice.

Hopefully all of this gave you some idea of what to look forward to. Then again, this could have just sucked you in to the whirlwind of summer spending. Go to the beach! Lay back, relax...and wait until the reviews come in.



Carrey as the Riddler, Tommy Lee Jones as Two-Face, and introducing (or more appropriately, intruding) Chris O'Donnell as Boy Robin. I say M.O.T.S. (more of the same)--as was *Batman Returns*, *BF* uses the same formula: new exciting character=big money (last time it was Michelle Pfeiffer as

ers (Stallone as Dredd fits very well.)

Need another sequel to fill your sequota? How about BF's partner in threequel crime, *Die Hard: With a Vengeance*. After *Pulp Fiction*, perhaps

Clancy: The Conclusion (Part V) by Kevin Winters

I could not believe Stacy was engaged. "Didn't you get any of my letters?" I asked her.

"What letters?" Stacy sounded confused. "I didn't get any letters from you."

"How about a letter I wrote a year ago?" She still had a puzzled look on her face. Well, this was becoming very uncomfortable. So I said good-bye and told her I was taking a train back to my hometown; she didn't even try to stop me! I was heartbroken. I couldn't believe Stacy was marring another man. I walked to my favorite Irish pub, The Blarney Club; I wanted to drink myself into oblivion. I wanted to forget everything. I was so depressed. When I stepped inside the pub I saw the owner, who was also a good friend of mine. I told him what had just happened. He was a great listener.

Stacy was upset too and thought I had really never cared for her. Her fiance told her he had intercepted my letters. He did not think I was right for her, but he could see how hurt and confused she had become over this deception. He left and returned shortly with the unopened mail. Still unable to believe what her fiance had done she slowly opened the letters. She was so furious that she asked him to leave. Now seated in her favorite chair she began to read the letters. As she read them she started to cry.

Hours later I was at the train station getting ready to board the train. Suddenly, Stacy came running toward me. "Clancy! Clancy!" She shouted looking at me. "I love you! I just found your letters!" She fell to her knees and began to sob. I ran over to her. Tears were streaming down my face. I pulled her up and she turned to me. "Clancy! I love you!"

"I love you too, Stacy!" As we kissed we vowed we would never be apart again.

"But wait, you're engaged."

"No! Not anymore I broke the engagement and he agreed."

I was smiling now, she held my face toward hers. I then asked her to marry me.

"Yes! Yes!" She said and kissed me again. I was so happy! Soon it began to snow. "Look we're going to have a white christmas!" After the wedding, we went to Hawaii for our honeymoon. Upon our return, we decided to live in our hometown, Sullivan Town. In 1967, I had an interview with a television producer in the NBC Studio in New York City. They wanted me to host my own show; The Clancy Show. I said yes. It started in the Fall of 68'. I was making money now. Many casting directors wanted me to be in their movies, but I told them I needed a break. I was happier than ever before. My

show became a big hit. I had terrific stars appear on my show, Bob Hope, Jack Lemmon, Bill Cosby, Frank Sinatra, Jack Benny, Milton Berle and many others.

In 1971, I agreed to march in the Macy's Thanksgiving Parade. After the parade, Stacy and I had plans to go to my parent's house. I was eager to see my brothers and sister who were all married and had children by now.

After the parade I saw a little boy who I recognized roaming the streets. Now he was lying on the ground in the alleyway behind my hotel. It was a very cold day. I walked over to him and he appeared to be very ill. I quickly carried him into the lounge of the hotel, and called for an ambulance. I asked my wife to go directly to my mother's house. I told her I would follow shortly. When the ambulance finally arrived we went to the nearest hospital where the doctors and nurses worked feverishly on him. Meanwhile, I couldn't give the hospital any personal information on the boy. I had no idea who he was or where he lived. I started to walk away but then stopped abruptly. I couldn't leave the little boy; so I went back to the waiting room. The doctor came out and told me he was very sick but that he would survive.

"Umm. Yes he's my nephew", I said quickly. "His parents are in Florida."

I could not believe what I had just said. But I knew the boy needed medical attention. The doctor believed me. After a few hours, the doctor returned and told me the boy was going to be fine. I took him home that Thanksgiving Night. We had a late turkey dinner. The boy was seven years old. I asked my wife if we could take care of him for a while. My wife warned me that we could get into some serious trouble. I didn't care. I really believed the boy was homeless. Nobody had reported a missing child. We told people his parents had died and we were taking care of him. He never asked us any questions. He could remember nothing of his past life. And we certainly didn't push the issue.

Time went by quickly. We spoiled him with new toys and new clothes. He even got his own room. Then we enrolled him in school. That year I sang the National Anthem at the Super Bowl. Things were great. My show was still on top.

But that was soon to end. The boy's parents discovered that I had their son. How, we will never know. But they knew I had money and decided they wanted their son back. We had to go to court. The media were terrible. One title story headlined, "Clancy kidnapped Child." It was an awful time for all of us.

Clancy: The Conclusion continued

I knew I had not done the right thing. Years ago I did not search for the boy's parents. The last day in court, the judge made his final decision. "The boy goes back with his parents." It was horrible when the guards took the boy away from us. He was screaming and kicking. He shouted something that made me stand up and cry. "Daddy! Daddy!" he was wailing. I could not believe the judge would not take into considerations that he had been abandoned by these same parents. The judge was furious with me for not seeking out the boy's mother and father. The day after our ordeal in court, Stacy and I received a call from the boy's parents. They said they realized they did not have the means to take care of their son and for a price we could have him. But I was smarter this time. I contacted

my lawyer and we made the adoption legal with no money involved. After the adoption I gave them a cash settlement. That is all they wanted from the beginning. Stacy and I were delighted. We had four more children of our own. My show was still on the air.

"Oh God-looks like we're here!" The chauffeur announced as he pulled to the front of the airport.

"That was a beautiful story Clancy." Ellen said, wiping tears from her cheeks.

"Hey, thanks for everything." Tony said as he shook Clancy's and Stacy's hand.

"And you Andrew, good luck in your future. Here's my address and phone number. Call me when if you ever need a friend or some advice." Andrew gave

Clancy a big hug.

"Oh by the way, what ever happened to your best friend Jason?" Tony asked.

"That's him. He's my chauffeur." Clancy smiled.

The chauffeur took out their luggage and shook their hands. The limo pulled away slowly.

Tony picked up his jacket that he had placed on top of his luggage. An envelope fell to the ground. He picked it up and there was a wad of cash inside. The little note said. "This is for you until your job is secure! Your friend Clancy" Tony turned around and saw Clover the Leprechaun on top of the limo waving good-bye to him. He gasped, closed his eyes and opened them again. Clover was gone.

"I think now I do believe Clancy." He smiled.

Ellen had no idea what he was talking about but she sure was happy. Andrew felt a coin in his pocket. It was a gold coin. It said "Push Through the Crowd, Reach for the Stars and Your Dream will come True." Andrew looked up at his father and showed it to him.

"That's right I do believe in miracles!" He waved good-bye to the limo.

THE END

Have a great summer, everybody. Congratulations and good luck to Class of '95.

--Kevin Winters

Friday good entertainment ; Comic Book Rebels highlights indys



Ice Cube, Chris Tucker, and Paula Jai Parker in *Friday*

Joe Eubanks
Arts & Entertainment

Ice Cube makes his motion picture comedy debut in New Line Cinema's *Friday*. Comedians Chris Tucker (*House Party 3*), Bernie Mac

(*House Party 3*) and John Witherspoon (*Boomerang*) also add professional comic relief to the movie. Regina King (*Higher Learning*), Nia Long (*Made In America*), Anna Maria Horsford ("Amen"), and Angela Means and Paula Jai Parker ("Roc") contribute to the cast of veteran actresses.

Friday is basically about the life of a middle class black man by the name of Craig Jones (Ice Cube), a South Central brother from the hood who tries to avoid the pitfalls of growing up in the "hood". The movie takes place from a Thursday to a Saturday. Despite just having lost his job ironically on his day off, Craig goes through changes with his insanely jealous girlfriend, and his best friend Smokey (Chris Tucker) who is in the middle of a shady deal that's gone sour. Soon after the sun sets, Craig has to bail his friend out of trouble, find a new job before his parents give him

"the boot", escape the wrath of his girlfriend long enough to find another girl, and survive a dramatic confrontation with the neighborhood bully.

This movie was written by Ice Cube and DJ Pooh. The film is produced by Pat Charbonnet and executive produced by Ice Cube. Ice Cube, now a big solo rapper and formerly of the rap group N.W.A., is very proud of this film and says that it is semi-autobiographical in nature to his own life. Says Ice Cube of his debut as a screenwriter and comedic actor: "I wanted to make a comedy about everyday people that you see in the neighborhood. There's a lot of comedy that takes place on the street that people don't even lock in on because they're living it."

Ice Cube does a wonderful job playing the straight man to Chris Tucker's clowning character of Smokey. Tucker is an up and coming young comedian who appeared for two seasons on HBO's "Def Comedy Jam". He does an excellent job as Ice Cube's hanging buddy in the film. Though *Friday* is not a comedy classic, it is good late night entertainment for couples or just for the family. (Rated PG-13; playing at various theatres.)

Daniel Dicenso
Arts & Entertainment

The world of independent comic books have expanded tremendously since the underground comics of the 60's and the black and white comics of the late 70's. Many independent publishers like Dark Horse, WaRP and Image now share shelf space with Marvel and DC at comic shops, and more new independents are being published each day. Stanley Wiater, a comic journalist, and Stephen Bissette, a comic artist, got together for *Comic Book Rebels* to show the basic history of independent comics through the eyes of many of its players.

Though interviews conducted by Wiater, we see what independent comics and comics in general can achieve beyond superheroes, the rise of the underground comics, self publishing comics, independent comics and creators from around the world and the newest artists and writers to join the ranks of the independents. Although many big names, such as Todd McFarlane (Spawn), Neil Gaiman (Sandman), Eastman and Peter

Larid (Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles) and Will Eisner (The Spirit) are interviewed, the book also talks to lesser known creators like Howard Cruse (Gay Comics), Colleen Doran (A Distant Soil) and Harvey Pekar (American Splendor) are given equal time to tell their stories about making it in the comics world, their creations and their own opinions of both independent and mainstream comics. Included are beautiful black and white reproductions of the creators artwork and a caricature provided by Bissette at the introduction of each chapter. The book also provides three appendices. The first is A Bill of Rights for comic creators made by Scott McCloud (Understanding Comics); the second is a handy guide of titles created by the people interviewed and where to find them; the final is a comprehensive guide to books on comic book history.

Being a fan of many of the comics shown within this book, I enjoyed reading about the men and women behind them, and the appendixes are great for further reading and research. I recommend *Comic Book Rebels* to every fan of comics and comics history.

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All the news that fits, prints.

Maybe 9, 1895?

Phantom Bomber Caught!!!

Was infatuated with explosives since a cub because "They're Grrrreat!"

Lost Her Sugar Shoes Editor

Last Tuesday, Police has caught the perpetrator of the mysterious bomb scares has been caught. It was a Teusday.

The UMLPD, acting on an anonymouse tip from someone named Mr. Sam, caught the perpetrator orange and black handed. The colorfully beaked informant told the UMLPD to be on the lookout for "an evil looking tiger with a leering smile."

Originally suspecting Dean Shirvani, River Hawk Row, Chief of the UMLPD, was surprised to find Toni the Tiger planting the bomb. River Hawk Rowe was quoted as saying, "It came as a real surprise. I was expecting a disgrunteled engineer or something. To think I've been eating his cereal for all these years... Hey - don't

write that, that was off the record!"

Toni's trial will have a special guest judge that has yet to be named, and is set to occur, "as soon as I find O.J. guilty," said some judge guy.

Alan Leech Gershowitz, who might be remembered as the first unsuccessful spokesperson for Frosted Dandruff Flakes, has been named as Toni's lawyer. "Basically I'm going to prove that Toni was set up by a rival cereal spokescartoon. I think we all know about the competition between my client's product and that fruit loop bird-brain's. I think it will last sometime into fall sweeps week."

Overall, UML has been divided over Toni's guilt. Thirty-three percent of the people I asked said "that dude is guilty man". Another 33% said he was set up by the militia, and the remaining 33% just said, "yo mon".



Toni and his gang as he comes up with a Grrrreat Idea.

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P.U.M.L. introduces the FSW-5000 Crime Fighter

Missed Roast DisConnector Stiff

Earlier this semester, the new FSW-5000 Crime Fighter was secretly introduced by the University of Massachusetts Lowell Police Department at school here at UML.

The new stealth vehicle, while being widely used, had been unknown to anyone outside of P.U.M.L., the state militia-

funded splinter group of the UMLPD.

Sargeant Deerdon was highly supportive of the FSW-5000, "I think this little baby will level the playing field in our war against those damned students. -Hey, are you sure you're from the Faculty Newsletter?"

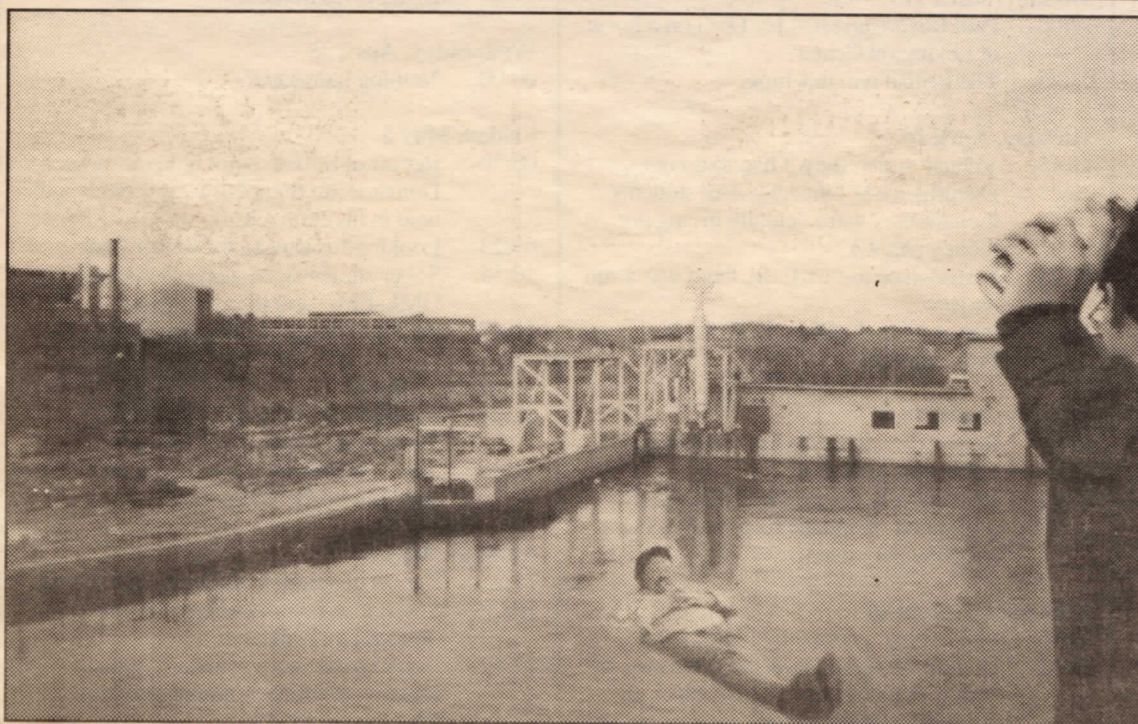
Others were not so optimistic. "I like the mass and

weight distribution, but there's no place to put the donughts," said an anonymous officer.

There has been no coment from anyone in the administration as to the cost of the new off-road assult vehicle, but a highly placed Toys Are Us official estimated the price to be over the \$300 mark.

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Yeah, right.



Student activist adds to the growing trash problem in the canals.
Story in three weeks.

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PARIS, BABY...
(HEY, THAT'D
MAKE A
GREAT MOVIE
TITLE...)

Pill K. Hossenpfeffer

Good bye, baby. This is the last of my columns (hey, I got that game...) to appear in the DisConnector before I retire from DisCo civilization (hey, I got *that* game too.) I'm so bummed.

Why am I bummed? Well, I'll never get to see Bet--er, um what I meant to say is that I'll never get to bet on the fact that that stupid DisComix Editor will try and pick a fight with me. She was always trying to make me look like the Nazi gestapo when I was only doing my job. God (whoops, as a practicing Catholic I shouldn't have said that,) am I glad that I don't have to deal with *her* anymore.

Wait a minute--I'm not bummed because of that. I'm friggin' elated. I was going to say that I'll never get to see a Bet--ter DisConnector edition. The paper is on its way downhill. I'd have a B-better chance of seeing Quayle elected to office than seeing a good issue of the DisConnector. (Thoughts in Pill's head: *GOD, why have I suddenly developed a stutter today???)

I'm also disappointed because I don't have enough space this week to bitch and moan about everything. With the rest of this space, I'll give it my bets shot.

I hate this school. I hate the DisConnector. I hate having to write 1,000 (*Ed: SHHYEAH, right.*) words every week for this stupid column.

I hate spring. I hate the stupid little birds that come to your window when you're trying to sleep in in the morning. They just sit there and chirp their asses off until you finally feel like reaching your arm out the window, grabbing ahold of one of those suckers and squeezing the CHEEP CHEEP right out its other end. Oh, and I just *LOVE* the friggin' rainstorms. Mud all over the place. Yum YUM. Why don't we just go and make a whole bunch of mud pies and pack them away until we can throw them at those damned birds when they come CHEEP-ING back. Birds are such ugly creatures.

Give me a gloomy cold autumn, or a blizzard winter day ANY day. Autumn--ahh, how I love the look of brown leaves blanketing the ground in an aura of death. School buses blocking my way as I drive to work. Below freezing windchills. Okay, maybe I don't like fall all that much. Winter--the glistening snow as it falls onto the brown, dead leaves. Falling, falling...until it falls so much that I can't even get to my car and when I finally do I can't get it out because it's Goddamn--er, um, very frozen. Perhaps I don't like any season. Whoops.

You know, it's unbecoming of me to rehash an old subject. I'm sorry for the temporary mental lapse.

I'm also sorry that I'm running out of room for this totally incoherent, rambling, worst-ever editorial I've written so far. Anyway, before I sign-off, there are a few poignant words I'd better say...like how we'll always have Paris, baby, Paris being the DisConnector, me being P. K. da "Hossman" Hossenpfeffer you being Bets

The views expressed in this editorial are surely the views of at least one person on the DisCo staff. The identity of that staff member will remain a mystery.
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UNIVERSITY Squeeks!

"His training is complete, come to the dark side O.J."
Darth Vader
Jedi

"Kill him!"
John Haley
Plastics

Life is like a murder trial, you never know what you're gonna get.
Forrest Gump
Philosopher

Question of the Week:

"Do you think O.J. Simpson is a good role model?"

"O.J. who? Ohhh...No comment."
Leslie Nielsen
O.J.'s Co-star



LE LOG DE POLICE

Can o'Gravy
Connector Stiff (Must be the HUSTLER)

Dawn of Mankind
07:45 Life began.

Tuesday, April 5, 1135
03:30- Arrested for public intoxication was Eric the Bold, 10/22/1089 of Lincolnshire.
09:45- Eric the Bold escaped from jail only to be killed by disgruntled dragon (not postal worker!).

Monday, April 17
12:00- Paul Revere arrested for DWI on a horse in Lexington Center.
03:45- The British win this time.

Tuesday, April 18
11:15- Vehicle stolen (hey, I had to do one).
12:23- Disturbance at Financial Aid, students thought they were actually giving out money (right!).
01:45- Disturbance in Fox Cafe, there was a run on jello.
20:45- Report of theft, Olsen Hall. Pocket Protector taken.

Monday, April 24
18:45- Report of violent student, Donahue 402. Cable was turned off.
22:38- Medical call, Fox lobby. UML-EMS responded. Someone forgot to tip Fio's and they got violent.

Wednesday, April 26
02:45- Stolen bike reported by PUML.
07:45- Dunkin Donuts reports theft of a case of donuts. Vehicle described as black & white with lights on roof.
10:05- Empty Dunkin Donuts box seen at PUML station.

Friday, April 28
02:30- Dunkin Donuts reports carjacking while making delivery to large vehicle in Eames lot.
02:31- I know, enough with the donuts.

Saturday, April 29
01:00- Keg party dispersed, University Ave. Two kegs confiscated.
02:36- Report of Keg party, rear of EB128.
10:25- Cumnock Hall burned down, Smokey the Bear being questioned as suspect.
10:34- Alcohol poisoning reported everywhere, UML-EMS quits.

Wednesday, April 35
00:00- Nothing happened!

Friday, May 5
00:30- Report of Student with hole in stomach, Donahue 4th floor. Now, how did he get a hole in his stomach?
09:23- Looking forward to the Sewer Party.
10:55- Sober student seen along University Ave. UML-EMS sent to investigate.
11:37- Hi, Ann Marie! Here's a dollar.

Saturday, May 6
02:34- Medical call, Leitch. UML-EMS responded. Alcohol poisoning?
14:34- Solar car stopped for speeding, Pawtucket and University. ET phone home.

Monday, May 8
11:23- Report of students studying, S. Campus.
10:28- Suspicious box of cookies reported, S. Campus mailroom.
12:42- Report of dangerous music students running around S. Campus shouting "We are not freaks."

The Le Log de Police is provided by me of course.

Scandal hits the DisConnector

Former Editor-In-Chief Nathan Butze spotted in transvestite garb

By The Liemaster
DisConnector Nudes

Do you know where the former Editors of the DisConnector went after the elections? We found one, the ex-Editor-In-Chief (or is that Editor-In-Riverhawk?), in a flattering photo obtained exclusively by the DisConnector. Fortunately, we obtained it off of a Playboy photographer. Unfortunately, he has lost the negative. Fortunately for us, we were able to convince him that this picture would be of more use to us than to him. Unfortunately, it took a few beatings until he finally gave it to us. Fortunately again for us, we are the

first to put it in print.

When confronted with the photo (before it went to print, of course,) Mr. (or is it Ms.?) Butze was obviously upset. "I'm upset," Butze quotes. "Nobody was supposed to know...and THAT--that's clearly a doctored photo. I would NEVER wear that lip color with that nail color!"

When asked if his parents were aware, he replied: "When my mom saw the picture, she was heartbroken...she TOLD me never to dye my hair blonde again. And my father...he was furious. He hates feathers."

Other ex-Editors were also confronted with this revealing photo. When ex-Arts and Entertainment Editor James Kimble was shown the picture, he was (at first) pleased with what

he saw: "Hey man, who's the babe?" Kimble remarked. When told that it was actually Nathan, he replied, "Hey man, what a babe!" Phillip Kelnhofer, our ex-Managing Editor, expressed surprise, distaste, and amusement: "I'm surprised and I find it horribly distasteful... however I'm somewhat amused."

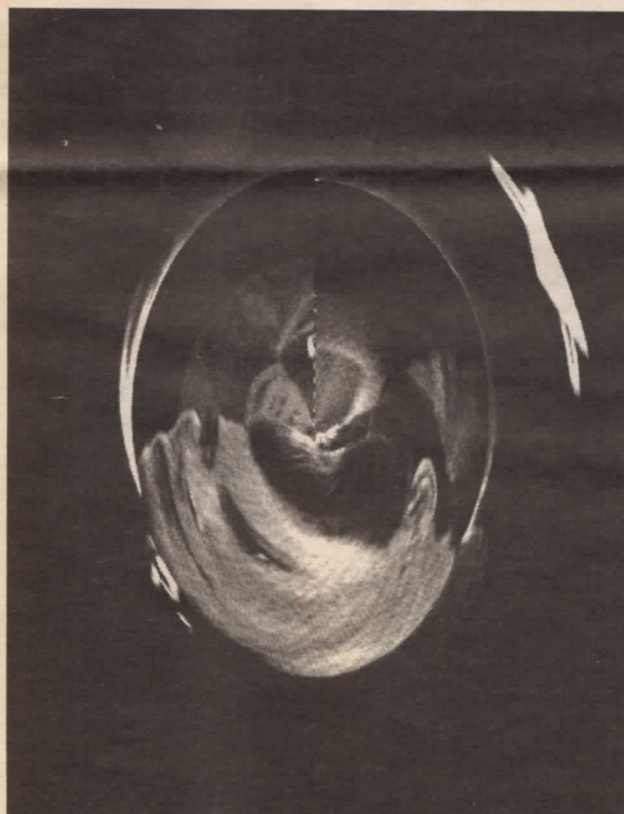
Butze was not surprised with the reaction of his former DisConnector mates, er, um colleagues. "I'm not surprised," Butze quotes. A humble reply from a humble man. As the questioning proceeded, Butze seemed to be more relaxed with his answers. "I'm more relaxed now. You can ask me anything." When asked where the photo was taken, his response was "I can't tell you that." His response



It's a wonderful life for Nathan--shown here in all of his splendor
--Photo by Nick Fury

was the same for the next dozen questions that the DisCo posed when finally he was asked, "Well what the hell can you tell me???" To which he replied, "Um...I'm planning a major tour to go in

conjunction with the publication of this photo in Play--whoops, I wasn't supposed to tell you that. I can only say that whatever comes of this, I just hope it doesn't get back to Jason."



THIS IS
STAR TREK
ON DRUGS.
PLEASE--
DON'T DO
STAR TREK
ON DRUGS.

DisCo Credits

(Ha, like anyone would actually want to fess up...)

General Layout: Geraldo Rivera (from past issues of the DisCo)

Cover Page: The Flyin' Trucker

2nd Page Stuff: Tweedle Dumb & Dumber

Placenta Perfume & Office of the Damned Ad (and come to think of it, alot of the computer "enhanced" photos): Geraldo Rivera

DisComix: Loan Me a Tweedle & Friends

Neil & Bob's Top Ten Page: GOD, are you THAT stupid??? Neil & Bob, of course.

Sports: That Unsung Hero guy

Classifieds: All of those wonderful & non-existent people who sent stuff in. Oh, and Jim.

Fo' Toes: Various sources, including photo ed, Photo Ed.

Anything else: Everybody else & more.

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A romantic tale with cliché premises

Chip and Dale
Farts & Their Containment

Movie Review: *We'll Always Have Paris* (Independent Films)
Dir: P.K. Hossenpfeffer
Starring: P.K. Hossenpfeffer, a picture of Betsy Phillips, Paris
Playing at various art-house theatres

This is the worst movie I've ever seen.

—Geraldo Rivera
F & TC Editor

An appropriate quote from our illustrious F & TC Editor. *We'll Always Have Paris* (Dir. P.K. Hossen--eh, whatever, I'm sick of writing that damned name out so many times, -3 stars) was filmed on a budget of \$4.72 (the videotape was \$4.50--hey, he got it at Cumby's, what do you expect?);

however, unlike some other low-budget films like *Clerks* and *Pulp Fiction*, *Paris* falls short of what could have been a very interesting new point of view into the world of chivalry and fate. P.K. Hoss (member of Da Businessmen) plays Rhett Rudman, a hopeless romantic in search of the perfect hopeless romantic leading lady to join him in his quest for a successful sitcom. One day, while sitting at his desk (which surprisingly resembles his desk at the DisConnector,) he comes across a photo of "an angel in the clouds (Betsy Phillips)". Thus he is thrust-ed into his long search that takes him to Paris, where he finds nothing but disappointment and enlightenment from a little elf-like guide named Jacques.

Granted, there was no money allotted for this movie; however, there have been better movies on a



Mr. Pill goes to Paris

shoestring budget. The writing was horrible (oh, like you wouldn't predict from his editorials.) The scenery...well, let's say that it's no Wyatt Earp. I mean,

come on--one small backdrop of Paris on linotype paper just can't pass. As for the cinematography, Mr. Hoss stated, "I borrowed the camera from Nate." The movie had its strongpoints: the soundtrack was pretty good, as Mr. Jim Kimble compiled it from his collection of promo-only CDs ("From when I was A & E Editor...hey man, they're mine...no one can say they aren't." Kimble quoted.) I really didn't go for the special effects, either--the Cabbage Patch kid used as Jacques wasn't very convincing (as was Hoss's bad ventriloquism.)

With this film, Hoss has been said to have "gone off the deep end" by some critics. I must, however, congratulate Hoss on a valiant effort, however trite and poorly made. **(Rated below any human intelligence--it will probably go straight to video.)**

Chauncy, My Greatest Lover By Dorothy Summers

"hi my name id Chauncy", he said, as he approached me as I was sitting in my car. "Can I help you with your groceries?"

"But I haven't even gotten out of my car and gone shopping yet." I said.

"Ah, that's the beauty of love," the young man said. "When you haven't even steeped out of your car before you go into the market...that's where it all begins."

He was so sweet. I got out of my car. He followed me into the store, it was kinda scary. Though he looked cute in his baby blue an yellow bagger's apron.

I went down aisle four. Aisle four is where the beans are. I had to get some beans, or my father would have killed me. I looked at the bean section and was confused. Chauncy came over and smiled.

"You looked confused. Can I help you?" He asked.

"I'm trying to pick out some beans. Can you help me?" I asked.

Wordless, he took and guided my hand across the bean cans. There were so many types of beans, i could not believe it.

Bush's baked beans, B & M, Campbell's...I did not know which one to take, when he finally tightened his squeeze on my fingers and picked Progresso.

"Iprefer Italian," he said.

"So do I," I replied. I was so awe-struck that I cannot describe the words. I said my thank yous and he went off to bag some groceries.

Then I had to get some cereal. I went to aisle 2 and got some Corn Pops. I like corn pops.

Most embarrassingly, I had to get some...(you know what I'm talkiung about, girls.) I went to that aisle and search for the kind that I like (with the flushable applicators.) I was so scared that Chauncy would catch me in that aisle that I wasn't looking where I was going and toppled a display of always with wings. I could have cried, but I quickly ran but as I was running around the corner, the bottom of the-box of (you know) fell open and they fell out onto the floor. To make matters worse, I slipped on one and fell. I didn't know what to

do--I was so alone and scared. And embarrassed. So I din what anyone would have done in my place.

Then Chauncy came over. I was SO embarrassed I wanted to die. He offered me his hand to help me get up. I had tears in my eyes.

"I dropped my beans," I said.

He looked at me with loving eyes. I almost melted right there on the floor like butter (but then my you know whats would have expanded, absorbing me up...) He held me firmly in his arms and opened his lips to say,

"My, that's alot of beans..."

"Your to kind," I whispered, as I regained my balance.

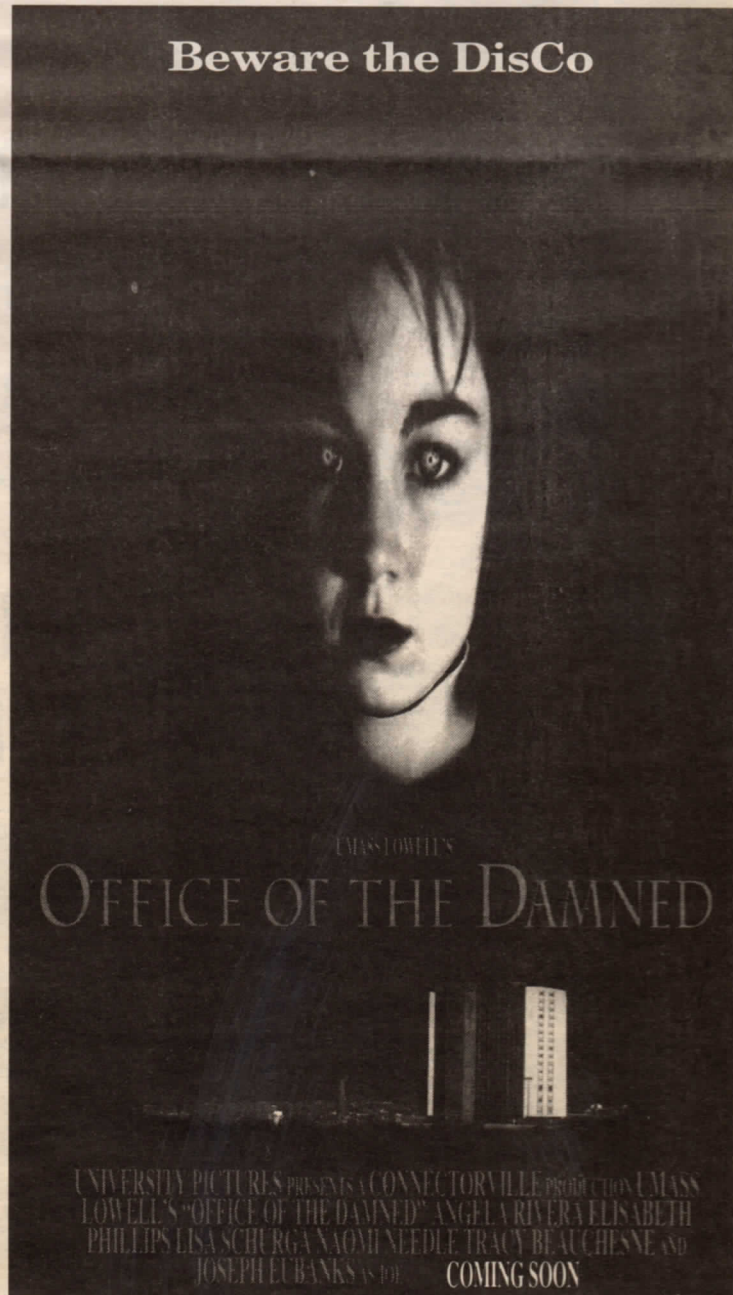
"I love you," he said as I bent down to pick up my you know whats.

At that, I looked deep into his Italian eyes and sighed.

"Chauncy...no one has ever complimented my beans like you have...I love you too."

To Be Continued...

Beware the DisCo



We been baaaaaaad.

Neil & Bob's Top Ten Greatest Hits

Here for your enjoyment are the ten all-time greatest top ten lists from the creative genius of Neil & Bob (beleive us, we did this as a service to the UML community, not because we were lazy...we could have come up with 10 new ideas for list... seriously...)

Top Ten Reasons Why Going to UML is Better than Eating a Hot Dog

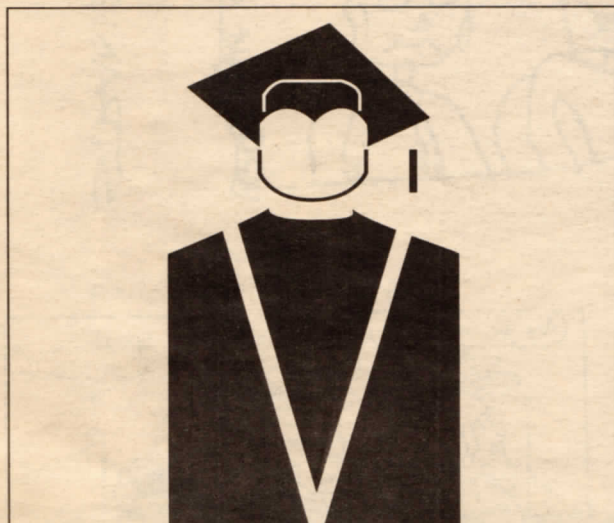
10. Rarely have to use the word sauerkraut during Differential Calculus.
9. College cost 5,000 time more than a hot dog. I don't think that they'd rip us off.
8. Any one can get a hot dog, only a precious few get into UML.
7. Few hot dog vendors have their own Nuclear Reactor.
6. You don't get ketchup and mustard on yourself during College Writing.
5. Going to college you can avoid real life for many years, eating a hot dog - about ten minutes.
4. Hot dogs are no longer considered politically correct.
3. No job interviewers ask, "So where did you eat hot dogs?"
2. Not dogs fill stomach with chemicals. College fills brain with knowledge.
1. Framed napkin looks silly on office wall.

Top Ten Little Known Children's Books

10. "Morris the Moose Has a Bowel Movement"
9. "Clifford the Big Red Dog Has a Big Red ..."
8. "Global Tyranny ... Step by Step"
7. "Curious George Beats the Snot out of the Man in the Yellow Hat"
6. "Berenstein Bears Maul an Innocent Camper"
5. "Dr. Suess: One Fish, Two Fish, Dead Fish, Stewed Fish"
4. "Ramona the Pest Gets Smashed"
3. "Lookout Deputy Dog has Rabies"
2. "Mr. Rodgers and His Live-in Friend"
1. "Frog and Toad Get the Clap"

Top Ten Pick-up Lines That Will Get You Slapped

10. "Hi, I'm a Kennedy."
9. "Are those real?"
8. "If I told you that you have a beautiful body, would you hold it against me?"
7. "I'm a magical being, take off your bra."
6. "I smell ya, babe."
5. "I write for the Connector"
4. "How much?"
3. "Do you like all-terrain vehicles? I got a brand new Ford Bronco outside ... red."
2. "Did I mention I have a penis?"
1. "Excuse me ma'am, would you please slap me?"



NEIL

Santa Claus' Top Ten Pet Peeves

10. Reindeer dung.
9. Mrs. Claus doesn't have the pep in bed that she used to.
8. Reprimanding elves for playing perverted "Reindeer Games."
7. Cabbies who yell, "Hey. You gonna move that thing Fat man."
6. The elves formed a union.
5. Most liquor stores close early on Christmas Eve.
4. Jewish kids with BB guns.
3. Smartass elves who leave can of SlimFast all over the place.
2. Spam.
1. Thousands of requests from UML students for parking spaces.

Top Ten Thoughts That Wake Bob up In the Middle of the Night

10. Do people actually eat head cheese?
9. What if there are more Baldwins?
8. If you are traveling in a car at the speed of light and you turn on your headlights, what happens?
7. How can SGA suck so much at Softball?
6. How much wood would a woodchuck chuck if a woodchuck could chuck wood.
5. I wonder if the A&E pages are done yet.
4. Does Neil really like Country Music?
3. What would I look like without skin?
2. Somewhere in the world, right now, Gilligan's Island is on TV.
1. Who's hand is that?

Top Ten Ways to Get Kicked out of UMass Lowell

10. Siphon gas from the shuttle bus, pour on an unsuspecting music major, and watch him burn.
9. Go for a swim in Pinanski's olympic size cooling pond.
8. Organize rally to move the bookstore downtown.
7. Sit on shuttle bus driver's lap and ask him to tell you a story.
6. Run around South Campus yelling, "The Northies are coming! The Northies are coming!"
5. Douse self with tomato sauce and run around O'Leary yelling, "Lick me!"
4. Taunt Dean King for not being able to get a real job.
3. Attempt to bungee jump off of Fox Hall.
2. Use No. 2.5 pencil when filling out a scantron sheet.
1. Write for the Connector.

Top Ten Expressions That Sorta Rhyme with Mogadishu

10. Don't trust cows that moo.
9. I'm gonna miss you.
8. Now that's an old moldy shoe.
7. Don't sniff airplane glue.
6. I like the Sprite in you.
5. Don't count your chickens before they hatch-oo.
4. Always use bathroom tissue.
3. Don't forget to chew.
2. Dumb jocks go to SMU.
1. Don't choke on a cashew.

Top Ten Least Popular Religions of the World

10. Farmer Fred's Corn Worshippers
9. Church of Neil
8. The Wandering Jews
7. Christian Slater
6. Dutch Boy: The Church of Latter Day Paints
5. Church of Bob
4. The Branch Davidians
3. The Roman Catheters
2. Barnaby Jones and the Temple of Doom
1. Any religion where you get slapped daily

Top Ten Rejected Ad Campaigns for Schindler's List

10. Humanit-Aryan Film of the Year
9. It's a Jewel of a film
8. The best movie ever made about genocide
7. The Holocaust... it was *fantastic*
6. How can you Nazi this movie?
5. It's better than Ishtar
4. Shindler's List - it's Hitleriffic
3. That's a lot of puddin'
2. No Jewish people were hurt in the filming of this movie
1. The feel good movie of the year

Top Ten Rejected Slogans of the South Campus Hot Dog Man

10. "Hot dogs and pickup trucks... it doesn't get any better than this."
9. "I am the Hot Dog Man - Gu Gu Ba Ju"
8. "Taste my weiner!"
7. "100% Rat-Free"
6. "Come and eat some pig-meat, boiled in tap-water, on the back of my pickup truck"
5. "As seen on 60 Minutes"
4. "Check me out before the Board of Health does"
3. "I once killed a man just to watch him die... want a hot dog?"
2. "I don't take the bones out, and I pass the savings on to you"
1. "If you you don't want a hot dog then screw you"



BOB

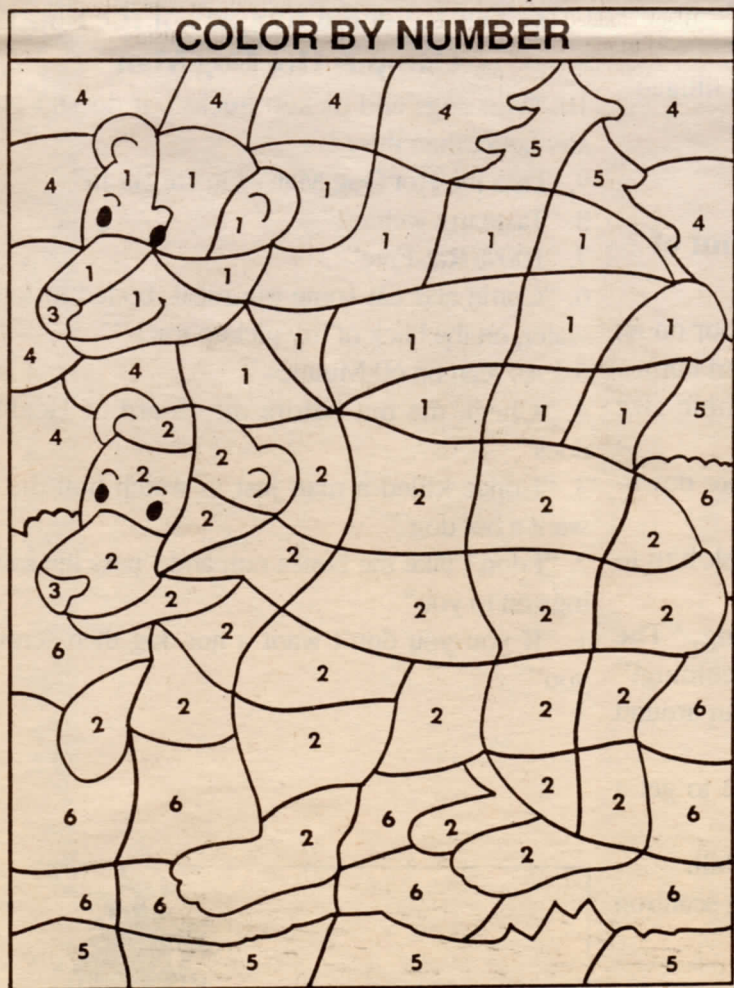
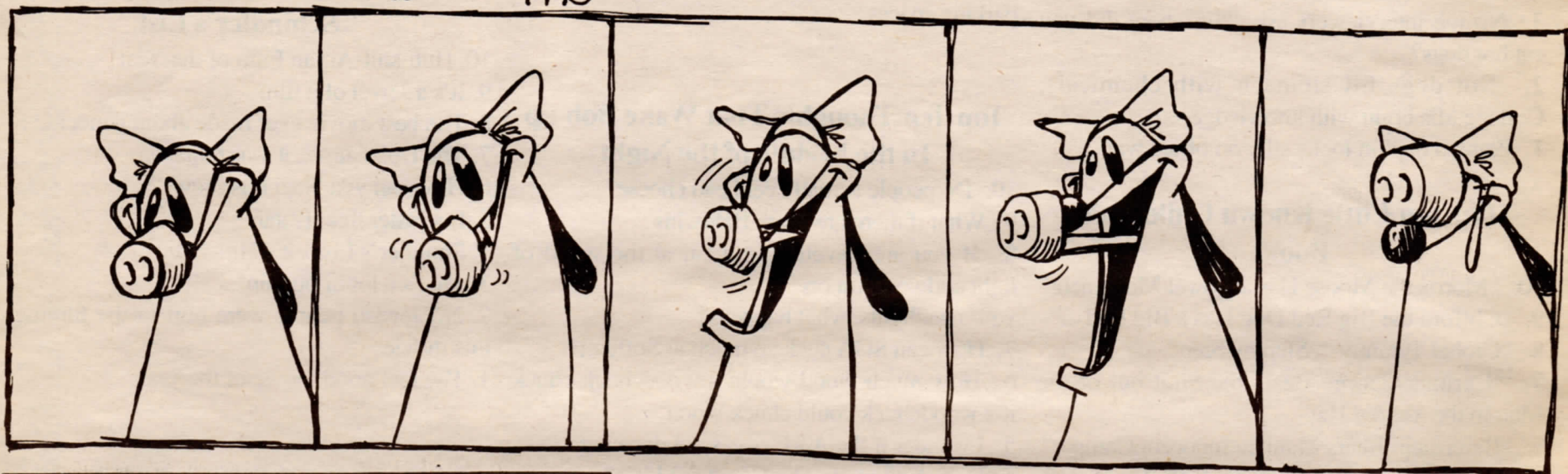
DISCOMIX

The Strip 2030

by Tosh Sano Jr



BEANHOG BY ~~STANLEY~~ 1995



1 - Dark Brown 2 - Light Brown 3 - Black
4 - Blue 5 - Dark Green 6 - Light Green

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HUH...
LOOK AT
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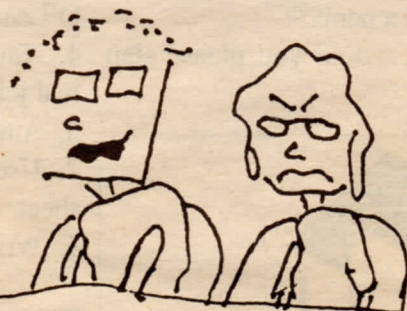
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The Striplet 2030

DeFOREST'S DATING TIP:
INVITE HER TO A ROMANTIC MOVIE

HEY! IT LOOKS LIKE MEG
RYAN STILL HAS ALL OF
HER OWN TEETH!

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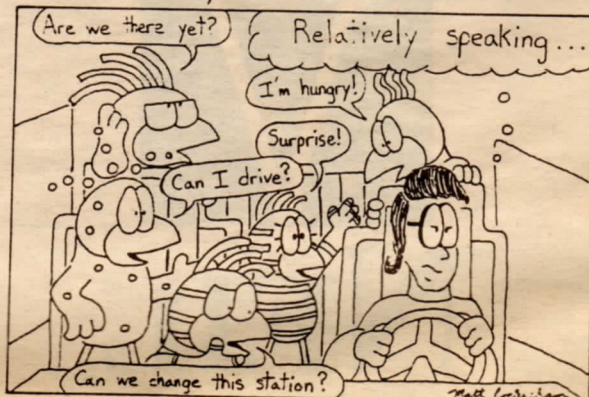
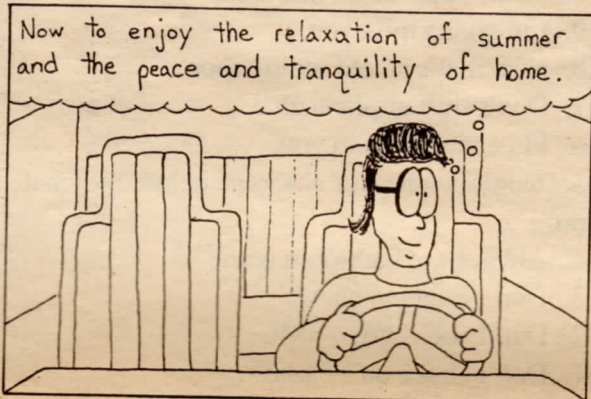


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Matt Cockreham and Friends

by Matt Cockreham



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Gimme some!

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ROOMMATE NEEDED

Black studded leather a plus. Hurt me. I'll be your roommate forever. Camie at 976-9125

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MISCELLANEOUS

SWSHEEP—BAA!

This innocent and lonely sheep is looking for a real RAM to flock with. Could ewe be my knight in woolen armor? I am cleanly sheared, have large and muscular hind legs, and a muzzle that could entertain for hours on end. If you've got the gigots to please my pleasures, then I have time to shear my experiences with ewe. Call me @ Sheep Central 983-BAAH.

Ha! I stuck it, uh, snuck it in. . .

The UML glassy eyes **FIRST** (and probably last)

Top Ten Euphemisms for Female Masturbation

10. Rubbing the Raisin
9. Petting the Pussy
8. Poking the Pillsbury Dough Boy
7. Churning the Butter
6. Diddling
5. Picking the Bean
4. Polishing the Pearl
3. Mowing the Lawn
2. Flipping the Switch
1. Join the Connector!

HONEYCOMB HIDEOUT HOURS:

Whenever you get up - Whenever you pass out, M - W

Sleep later (it's the end of the week) -

Stay out later, too, TH & F

Bat Phone x 6969

I can't believe you're actually taking the time to read this shit.
I mean, c'mon. You've gotta have *something* better to do.

~DEADLINE WAS YESTERDAY~
CAVE 17:00 FUX 1530
OLLIE NORTH POLE
CULT MALEROOM 1200.1



smoke 'em if
you've got 'em

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**ALWAYS FWEE TO
STUDENTS!**

Spurts

Professional Wrestling at UML

Athletic Department plans to add professional wrestling to the sports curriculum for the Fall 1996 season.

Spew Perrier
Dis Connector Stiff

In a bold attempt at improving the quality of sports offered at UMass Lowell, B. L. Skinner has decided to offer professional wrestling as a varsity sport.

The move was sparked after it was learned that Chancellor Hogan had a connection with a big-name professional wrestler who has offered to coach the UML squad.

It turns out that the Chancellor is actually the long lost half-father of a famous wrestler who has asked to remane nameless. Despite this with, his parents decided to name him Hulk Hogan.

There are expected to be only five to ten students who will try out for the squad because of the strenuous workout and training regiment.

In addition to weight training, cross-training, and toilet-training, prospective collegiate athletes



Member of tag team wrestling champs Dumb and Dumber, The ReBeaner (hey, it's the only photo I've got that I have yet to use in the DisCo)
--Photo by QuickiMart

will be required to enroll in acting classes.

Competitions will be held at the new arena, which is expected to be completed on June 30th,

which also happens to be the day that hell is planning to freeze over. Sources close to hell claim that it is just a coincidence.

Spurts Speak...with Nothin' Butz-the truth

Well, folks, in the wake of the baseball strike, attendance is at all-time lows in stadiums in Major League Baseball.

I wanted to give my advice on how MLB could improve attendance throughout the league. First, you've got to do something to speed up the game. Maybe a pitch clock or... I've got it - just get rid of pitchers altogether. I mean, can you think of anything more exciting than a nice fast-paced game of tee-ball.

Plus if MLB switches over to the tee-ball format, I can guarantee a lot of those "untouchable" baseball records would fall this season. Roger Maris' 61 homerun season in 1961.... Jose Canseco could break that record in a 4 game series

against thje Yankees. Ted Williams .400 batting average.... Michael Jordan could have batted .400 in tee-ball, if he got a few lucky bounces.

And speaking of MJ, the NBA knows how to market a sport. Baseball needs to come out with a catchy slogan like the NBA's "I love this game." How about "Major League Baseball...I really don't mind this game all that much.

And cheerleaders... baseball needs more cheerleaders. And instead of that corny old "Seventh Inning Stretch, what's wrong with a "Seventh Inning Strip Tease."

Now that would draw the fans back to baseball.

C 'ya in the stands.

National Sports Scene

- The Celtics lost to the Magic in four games. I can't believe they lost. If Nique's free throw in Game 4 had rolled in instead of out, it would be the Celtics who would get killed by the Bulls. Damn.
- They're playing all kinds of sports all across this great nation... oh, it's quite a scene, my friend.
- If you're reading the DisConnector to get the 411 on the National Sports Scene then you have a real problem... it's a new thing called Sports Illustrated---- Check it out.

1995 SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

Too Late

You missed it... the Spring Sports teams have finished their seasons, and since this is college, there's no Summer Sports Schedule. That's right you'll have to wait until the 1995 Fall Sports Schedule. Of course, UML's big sport (Hockey) doesn't start up until I print the 1995-96 Winter Sports Schedule.... so you really missed it. And if you were really psyched up about watching UML's baseball team, you'll have to wait for the 1996 Spring Schedule. That's like --- a whole year. I really feel sorry for you, you poor shmuck.



Football great O.J. Simpson's luxurious new living quarters leave him with little to want for...

--Photo by L.ito

(A very short) Interview with football legend O.J. Simpson

Zen Buddhithal
DisCo Spurts

ZB: Well, here I am at the wonderful minimum security Los Angeles County Prison with football legend O.J. Simpson! How are you today, Mr. Simpson?

O.J.: How the f*** you think I'm doing you friggin--

ZB: OKAY, now that I knoe how you're doing, let's get to the good questions. How's the trial going for you.

O.J.: You should friggin' know,

Misser Butt-in-your--face..it's all over the news...EVERY DAY.

ZB: Okay, okay, don't get so cut up about it...

O.J.: See, there it goes again.

ZB: What?

O.J.: A stupid friggin' O.J. joke. I'm sick of hearin' them. I didn't kill my wife!!!

ZB: Okay, assuming that you didn't--

O.J.: Assume my ass man, I didn't do it.

ZB: Okay. So you didn't do it. I'm not going to play devil's

advocate--

O.J.: GOD, no more lawyer jokes!

ZB: Please, Mr. Simpson, control yourself--

O.J.: Yous all the same! Tellin' me to control myself when I didn't do a goddamned thing to that friggin ho-bit--er, um...I loved her, how the hell could I have killed her?

ZB: Eeyeah...well. I see that this is hardly getting anywhere--

O.J.: There you go again! Another reference to the trial! Man, don't you reporters have--



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8. The Shods
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10. Ivy

New CMI Releases-Courtesy of WJUL

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ALBUM TITLE

These Animal Men	(Come On Join) the High Society
Boredoms	Chocolate Synthesizer
Various Artists	For the Love of Harry:
Everybody	
Chris Knox	Sings Nilsson Songs of You and Me
Seven Day Diary	
Elvis Costello	Elvis Costello's Kojak Variety
Afro Peruvian	The Soul of Black Peru
Souls At Zero	A Taste for the Perverse
Jamiroquai	Return of the Space Cowboy
Latimer	A Wise Investment
Robert Cray	Some Rising Morning
Scorn	Ellipsis
Pentagram	Be Forewarned
Bad Brains	God of Love
Billy Holliday	Le Hot Club

WJUL Spotlight Show: "Blues Deluxe"

Kristen Tomaino
WJUL Contributor

Do you dig the blues? Then you might want to check out "Blues Deluxe" on WJUL. The show airs on Saturday afternoons from 3:00 to 6:00, and is hosted by John Guregian. Every week, John brings the best in blues music into the radios of many loyal blues fans. On his show, he promotes contemporary blues and also local acts. In fact, twice a month John brings in local blues bands to play live in the WJUL studio! Some of the bands and their hometowns include "Two Bones And A Pick" from Peabody, "Lucille And the Steamers" from Manchester, NH, "The Kan Tu Blues Band" also from Manchester, and "Nasty J And the Grinders" from Boston. John also gives away blues CDs and tickets to places like the Sit 'N Bull, Harpers Ferry, and the House Of Blues.

ed by Tom Carboni, one of WJUL's alumni DJs. The show was first presented as a taped show using reel-to-reels, where it would be recorded first, and

1983; ten years later, he returned to host "Blues Deluxe" at its current day and time. He also joined WJUL alumni DJs John Gallucci and Hank Golden in hosting "The Alumni Show", which aired on Sundays from 3:00 to 6:00.

Since John took over hosting "Blues Deluxe", he has been entertaining the blues community with some great music and keeping them well informed on blues concerts in the New England area. Thanks to John, the blues library in the station has just about doubled in size, providing even more great music that his listeners long to hear. Also because of "Blues Deluxe," the blues community has recognized WJUL. In fact, an article on the show was recently printed in "The Boston Blues Society Newsletter," a popular newsletter among the blues community.

If you like blues music and you want to hear more of it, tune in on Saturdays from 3 to 6 PM for "Blues Deluxe". Only on your very own college radio station, 91.5 FM, WJUL. You dig?



then broadcasted. This is as opposed to having a DJ broadcast live in the studio. John took over the show in 1982, and co-hosted it with Rich Gingras, another one of WJUL's alumni DJs. At that time, the show was aired on Thursdays from 6:00 to 10:00 PM. John left WJUL in

Ella Fitzgerald	Le Hot Club
Babes in Toyland	Nemesisters
Vowel Movement	Vowel Movement
Denison/Kimbal Trio	"Landshark" (7")
Primus	
Dub Narcotic Sound System	Industrial Breakdown (E.P.)
Modest Mouse	(7" E.P.)
May 15	
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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Unfortunately another semester is about to slip pass us, to bring us ever closer to graduation. This transition will be better than others and we shouldn't mark it's passing with lament but instead enthusiasm. It's not gonna be just another semester (or year for that matter) next time around. A new dawn is approaching student life for this campus. The student government has just had it's elections. Aside from the usual last minute rush to vote on that fateful day, something else very exiting in it's own right has also happened. We have had a nearly complete changing of the guard. But equally as important as those lucky students who won their elections are, are those who, for whatever reason won't be joining us next year. Gone will be the bickering, petty politics, and self aggrandizement from pet projects that marked, no pardon me, scarred the old organization. In stark contrast to the old group their is now a cohesive and highly imaginative group who not only want to talk about change but are well into it. A think tank within the Student Government has come up with a list of issues that the Student Government plans to tackle in order to make life better for the students. We will, through political means; fight to change the drinking policy, clarify and modify the smoking policy, research the necessity of having a faculty parking beyond the arches of Southwick, publicize the students views on our food service while looking into change, move to bring Greek organizations back on campus, publicize students views on tenured professors before registration, research and publish the goings on at the research building, trace inconsistencies after snow shoveling, try to make the financial aid process less painful, push for more funding for the libraries, and discuss the future of Allen Hall. If you as a student have any other concerns contact the senators from your class, whose names will be published early next semester.

Kenneth Morgan
Senator for the Class of '97
Student Government



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Commencement Ushers Needed

If you wish to volunteer your services as a commencement usher on Sunday, June 4, 1995, please sign up or call the University of Life Office in Cumnock Hall (x2100/N.Campus) no later than May 11, 1995.

Leold

by Roger & Salem Salloom

Geez, guys get heart attacks a lot.
Maybe, it's stress or unhealthy eating or something like that.

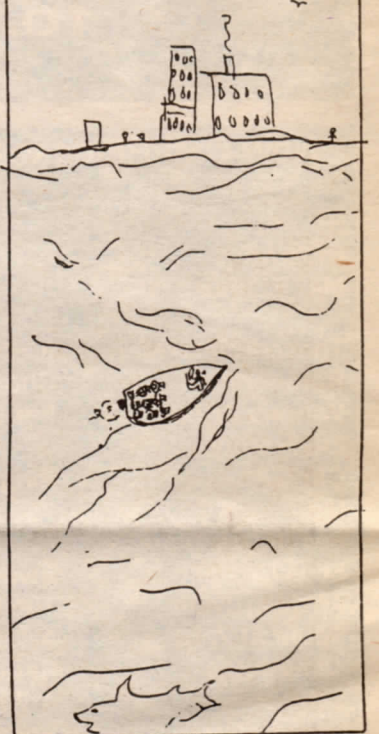
All of my aunts have outlived my uncles. I miss my uncles.

I still have one uncle who is a ferry man. He takes people back and forth between some islands. Maybe the water's good for him. I think it boils down to this: Who wins?.....

the guy who has the most stuff when he dies?

or the guy who lives the longest?

Or is it the guy who can't remember where he left all of his stuff?



Note That Quote:

"Be kind, for everyone you meet is fighting a hard battle."

- Philo

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UPDATE ON PROGRESS IN PREPARING THE HONORS PROGRAM FOR FALL 1995

Our recruitment efforts seem to be making good headway; the "Honors Forum" organized by the Admissions Division on March 11 attracted some 40 prospective students and their families; we have received Honors Program Applications from over 30 students and last week I sent out an Invitation Letter to over 100 prospective Honors Physics first-year students, to which responses are already starting to arrive. It still seems feasible to anticipate that our intake of Honors students for the coming Fall Semester will exceed 100.

As well as preparing to offer courses next semester at the freshman level, we also wish to mount a "good-faith" effort to accommodate existing Honors students by providing them with sophomore courses in their respective disciplines. As the schedule now stands, all fully-fledged Honors students in their first year would come together in special ("301") sections of 42.101/102 College Writing I/II, and in their second year in a newly-created 59.259 Sophomore Honors colloquium, devoted to the theme "City as Text: Lowell" in a multidisciplinary format. They would also, as seniors, in their final year have to take at least one semester preparing a scholarly Honors Project or Honors Research Thesis.

Three types of courses would count toward the 24 credits necessary for fulfillment of the requirements (as well as a G.P.A. of 3.25 or better) for conferment of an Honors Diploma:

(a) Designated Honors courses (with the word "Honors" in the course title) [for 15-25 students];

(b) Honors Sections (301, 302, etc.) of regular courses, entailing extra work [for 5-14 students];

(c) Honors by contract (Section 301) in regular courses [for 1-4 students, individually; based upon a negotiated written "contract" between instructor and student, and entailing a tutorial relationship requiring extra time of both parties.]

For the coming Fall/Spring semesters, the following courses in the category (a) or (b) have already been arranged:

42.101 (301) College Writing I

42.102 (301) College Writing II

45.203 (301) Introduction to Ethics

47.101 (301) General Psychology

49.201 (301) Economics I

59.259 (301) Sophomore Honors Colloquium: "City as Text: Lowell"

62.201 (301) Honors Marketing

84.135 (301) Honors Chemistry I

92.142 (301) Honors Calculus II

92.241 (301) Honors Calculus III (Spring 1996)

92.244 (301) Differential Equations with Linear Algebra

95.161 (301) Honors Physics I

95.164 (301) Honors Physics II (Spring 1996)

95.210 (301) Intro. Modern Physics (Spring 1996)

95.269 (301) Honors Physics III

96.161 (801) Honors Physics I Lab

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Other courses in, e.g., Political Science, the fine Arts, and Engineering are contemplated.

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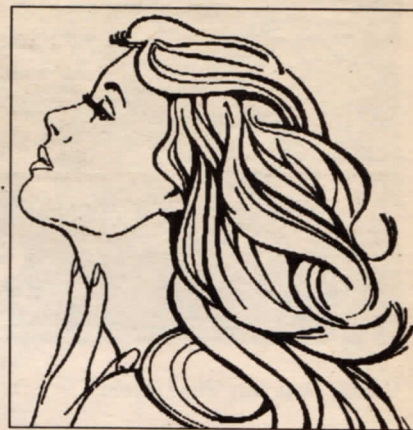
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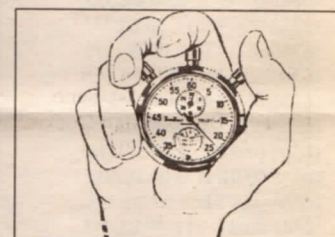
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Sun, May 14

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Pool: 11:30am-1:30pm,

4pm-6pm

Fri, May 19

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We can't tell you what direction to take, but we can sure help you get there.



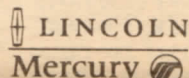
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10530 05/17 W 3:00 PA217
10610 05/18 R 11:30 KI302
14204 05/15 M 8:00 SO318
14205 05/15 M 3:00 SO318
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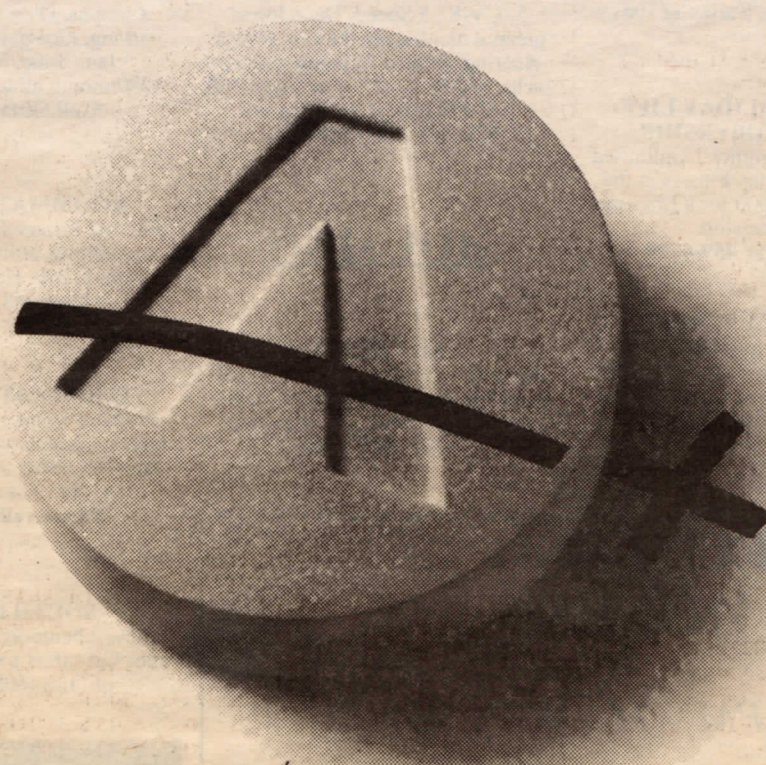
STUDY AREAS

Have you been looking for a place to study? Do you need a place to study for finals?
The following study areas have been identified. The list indicates where the rooms or spaces are located and whether they are open to the general student population or to students of specific majors.

Building	Room	Open to all students	Open to majors only
Ball Hall	Ball 304A	Yes	
Ball Hall	Ball 304B	Yes	
Ball Hall	Ball 416C	No	Mon - Thu: Open 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Coburn	Lounge (4th floor)	Yes	
Coburn	CO 105 (small space for about 6 students)	Yes	
Falmouth	Basement floor	No	All Engineering
Falmouth	Falmouth 107 (Computer Lab)	No	Civil Engineering
Gould (West)	Lounge	Yes	
Mahoney	Mahoney 110 (Student lounge)	Yes	
O'Leary Library	3rd floor (tutoring space, often used for study area)	Yes	
Olney	Olney G2	No	Physics majors and other students who are members of the Society of Physics Students)



Olney	Olney 430	No	Chemistry
Olsen	Foyer on 2nd floor (limited capacity)		Math (plus students taking selected math courses)
Olsen	Macintosh lab on 1st floor Olsen 309 Olsen 311 (Mon - Fri: open 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.; Sat: 9 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; Sun 1:00 to 9:00 p.m.; student assistance available)	Yes	
Olsen	5th floor atrium	Yes	
Olsen	6th floor atrium	Yes	
Olsen	Bio club room	No	Biology
Southwick	SO 121	No	Civil Engineering
Southwick	SO 310	Yes	
Southwick	SO 308, 315 (tutoring space, often used for study area)	Yes	
Upham (West)	Lounge	Yes	
Wannalancit	1st floor open area	Yes	
Wannalancit	2nd floor annex	Yes	
Wannalancit	Classrooms when not in use	Yes	
Weed	Lobby/ Lounge	Yes	
Weed	First floor (alcoves)	Yes	
Weed	Basement (Fould Lounge)	No	All College of Health Professions



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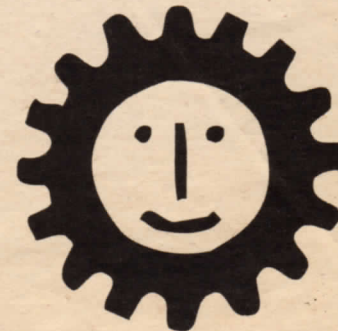
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CLUBS

SOCIETY OF PHYSICS STUDENTS

The annual SPS Physics banquet will be held on May 9, 1995 at the Village Inn Restaurant, Rt. 113 Dracut, MA. Tickets are \$12.00 ea. Choice of 3 dinners. Schedule as follows: Arrive 5pm, 5:30-6 Sigma Pi Sigma Induction Ceremony. 6-7 dinner, 7-7:45 announcements & awards, 7:45-9 speaker Melissa Fran Klin - Harvard U.



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Diversity Up-date

The Council for Diversity and Pluralism is committed to promoting activities and programs which foster a climate of pluralism, through a celebration of diversity. Through its sponsorship and support of programs, the Council encourages UMass Lowell faculty, staff, and students to work in collaboration with the university to facilitate discussion, celebrate cultural differences, and recognize our diverse learning abilities and lifestyles. This Diversity Up-date has come to you from time to time during the school year; as the Spring semester is coming to an end, we would like to keep you posted of our completed programs and upcoming events.

The Council on Diversity and Pluralism has had an exciting year filled with promising programs and activities on campus. Many of the programs funded fully or partially through the Council are now completed and some are still in progress. Earlier in the year the council co-sponsored the String Currents concert "Classically Black" music by African American/African European Composers, an ensemble of Artist/Teachers, young professionals, and University students who perform and promote string repertoire. The ensemble gave a concert in February for Black History Month. Fear No People Week and Phoebe Eng's presentation was well attended in March. The International Women's Day was another memorable event, jointly organized with the Women's Studies Group. Take Our Daughters to College Day is a one day conference that was designed to expose Lowell adolescent girls to the opportunities of the college experience.

Other programs that receive assistance from the Council include Ethnic Diversity: Career Portrait Series, Chinese Culture Demonstration Seminars, Hispanic Students Center, Returning Students Association Newsletter and Discussions, People to People: Sharing Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Life Workshop, Solar Car Travels to Inner City Schools Demonstration, Alternatives to Violence Workshop, Mini-Language Lab Facility, First Amendment Issues in Higher Education Staff Development Activities, The Enrichment of a Comparative Management Course, Multimedia Curriculum to Enrich a Community Outreach Program, Professional Development Workshops to support Faculty and Tutors of Linguistic Minorities, Experiential Learning of the Relationship Between Cultural Dimensions and Health Care Practices, Learning Differences: Implications for the classroom, and Celebrating a Diverse Centennial, 100 Years of Educating all Immigrants.

Programs are in progress during the first two weeks of May include the Asian-American heritage Celebration Week started May 1st with a film series and round-table discussion and will end with a Mini Asian mall and a cultural show on Friday, May 6th. On May 4th, the Task Force on Academic climate will sponsor a dinner conversation on Instruction Strategies for Students of Diverse Groups with a panel of presenters from UMass Boston: Connie Chan, Robert Johnson, and Martha Montero-Sieburth. The Diversity Symposium is scheduled for May 10th with a series of presentations and displays from faculty, staff and students who have conducted diversity programs this year. Executive Vice President Allen Sessoms is a keynote speaker at the Symposium luncheon.

Altogether the Council has funded 44 seed grants with \$57,699.30 in three major types of programs: (1) curriculum, faculty, student and staff development; (2) student activity; and (3) community collaboration. Some of the programs will have long-lasting impacts and will enable students of diverse backgrounds and experience to share their lives with others in an open and respectful manner.

Students are cordially invited to join any of the five different task forces of the Council. Each of the task forces is specialized in one of the following areas: (1) research and assessment; (2) recruitment and retention of faculty, students, and staff; (3) campus life; (4) academic climate; and (5) community collaboration.

Look for the Face of Diversity magazine this fall. Please call the Center for Diversity and Pluralism at 934-4342 for information about membership to the task forces or events sponsored by the Council.



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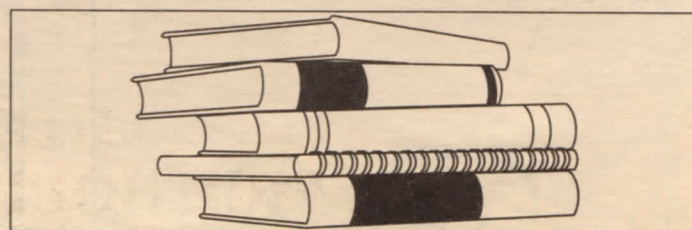
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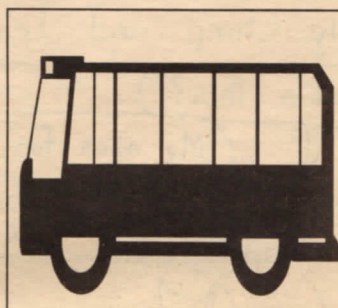
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Fri. May 12	7:30am-10pm
Sat. May 13	10am-6pm
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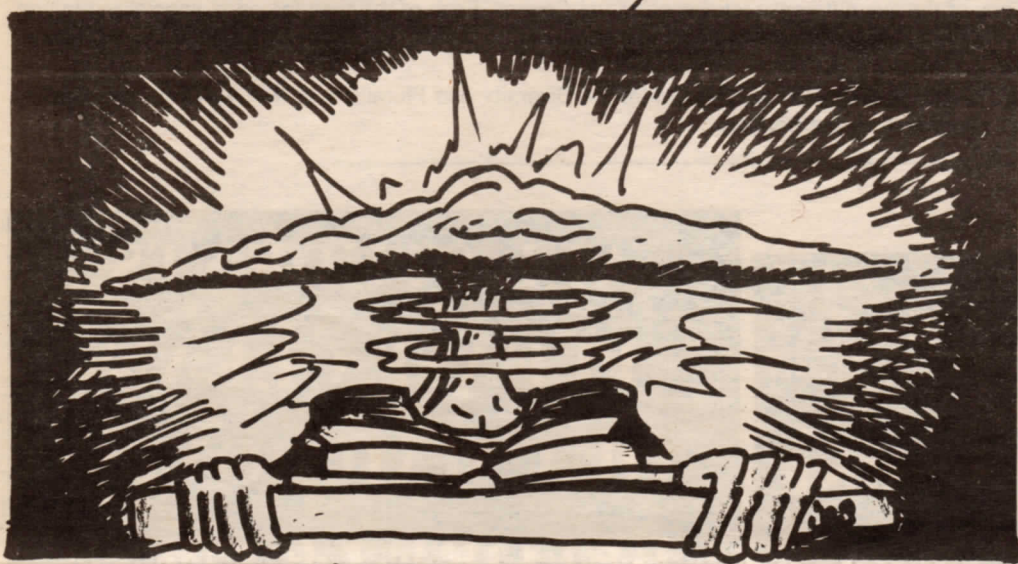
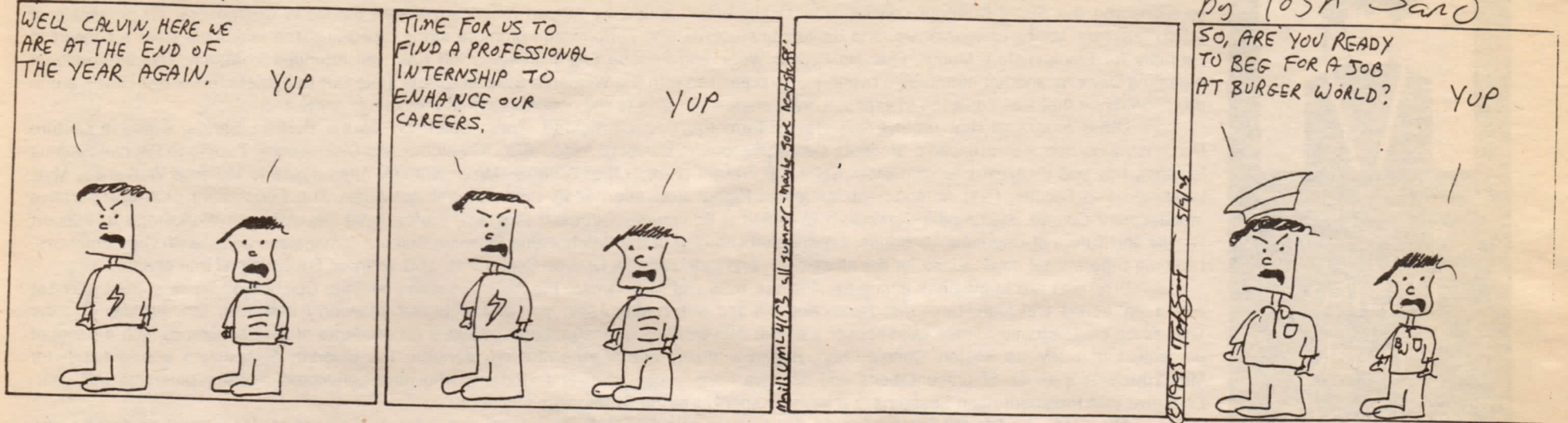
Four week Summer courses begin the week of May 22. Six and eight week Summer courses begin the week of June 19.

Registration is ongoing now by phone, FAX, mail and in person.

Call 1-800-NECC-1-2-3 for your copy of NECC's Summer '95 brochure if you do not have one now.

COMIX

The Strip



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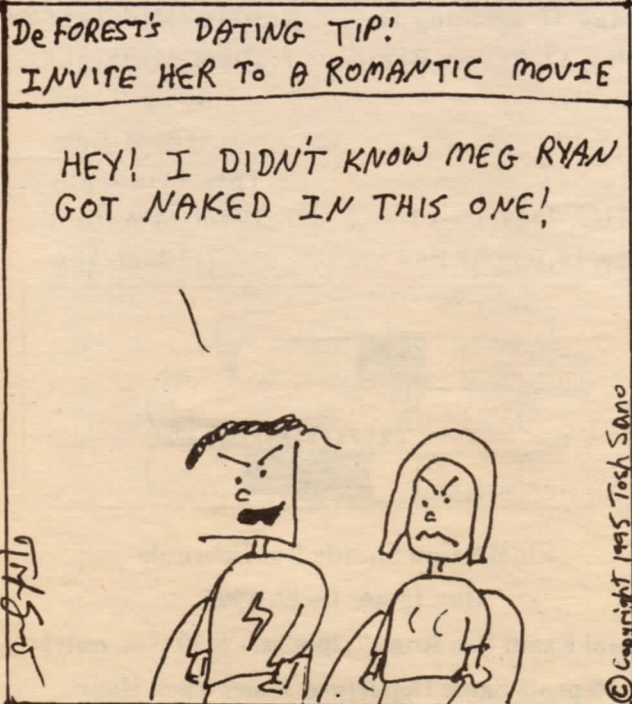


Speaking of which, the deadline for Orientation Issue Comix is MAY 15!

Get them to the Connector so you don't have to see my face again!



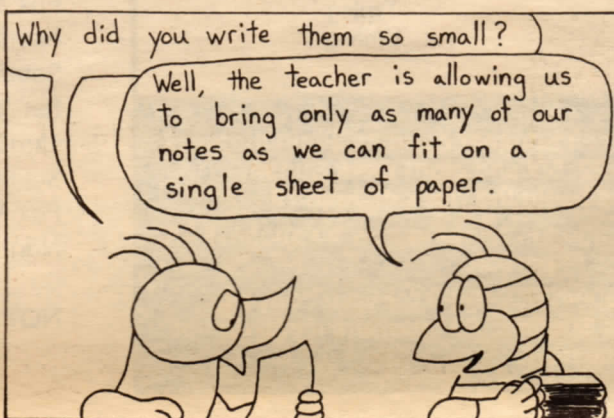
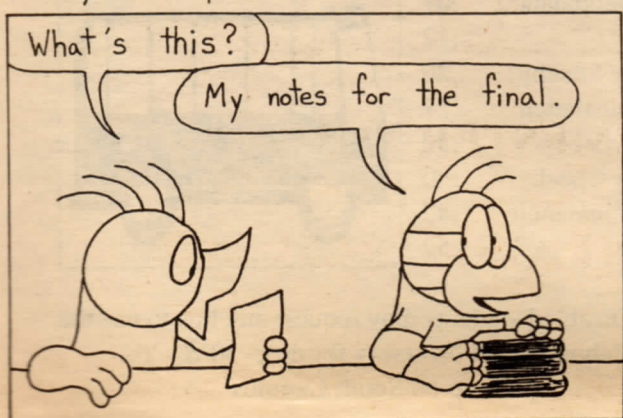
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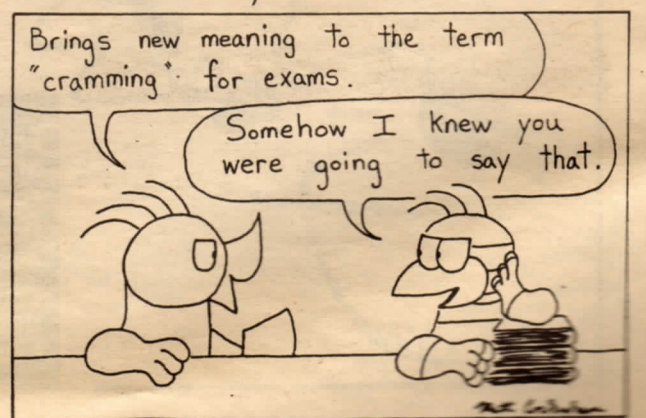
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Early Chirp and Friends



by Matt Cockreham



Stats Page

Great Showing for Crew at New Englands

Drew Poirier
Sports Editor

Watch out for Lowell Crew! After a consistent season that saw the UMass Lowell crew teams remain competitive against some tough competition, as well as struggle against weaker foes, Lowell closed out the season on a tremendously high note.

Lowell placed its name among the big-boys by performing excellently at the New England Rowing Championships, held on Saturday May 6 at Lake Quinsigamond in Worcester. Coming into the race, the teams from Lowell were hoping to have a good showing, but what they accomplished is something else altogether.

First up was the Men's Novice Eight. The team, with coxswain Steve Anderson stirring

the teams emotions, placed fourth in their heat with a time of 6:25.76. From stroke to bow, the Men's Novice Eight is Steve Garside, Tyler Moore, Bryan Labua, Sean Kalagher, Doug Coppi, Chris Abell, Andreas Kelly, and Rob Gregory. Six of the eight members should be returning to continue their improvement next year.

The Men's Varsity Heavyweight Four placed second overall, with an excellent time of 6:51.80. Coxed by Rebekah Buba, this squad will be returning Buba, Rob Remberton, and Anthony Phillipo, while losing the experience of Patrick Healy and John Matson.

The other Men's Varsity team, the lightweights, placed third overall with a time of 7:00.15 and was coxed by Corey Lewandowski. The team will be

returning Matthew Arnold, Phil Cunningham, and Peter Stramise, but will be losing Lewandowski and Scott Prentis.

Lowell only sent one of their women's teams, but made that one entry count, with the Varsity Lightweight Eight placing second overall. With new coxswain Shannon Smith leading the way, the women had a good time of 7:06.49, one of their best times of the season. The squad is made up of Meredith Johnson, Kara Andresen, Amy Azevedo, Parindar Puntumapanitch, Sara Doucette, Barbara Reynolds, Kim Prokop, and Knoelle Power. Leaving the squad after this season are Reynolds, Prokop, Power, and Johnson, leaving the squad with only four members returning to continue Lowell's rise in the ranks of top crew teams in the area.

Team Results & Records

Baseball

5/1 ASSUMPTION 4-2 (W)

5/2 @ U. N.H 1-9 (L)

5/3 @ Merrimack 12-4 (W)

Record:30-9, 19-2 NECC (As of 5/3/95)

Softball

5/2 @ Southern Maine (DH) 7-6, 8-3 (W,W)

5/4 HARVARD (DH) 2-4, 0-6 (L,L)

Record:23-22, 9-5 NECC (As of 5/4/95)

Letter From the Editor

Well, this is the last issue of the semester, and what a semester it has been. Women's Basketball had a great season in making the NCAA Division II Tournament and winning their conference. Indoor Track & Field had another solid season, filled with the usual abundance of record-breaking performances. In the spring the UMass Lowell teams saw themselves reach even greater heights of achievement.

Track & Field was again a force to be reckoned with, with the women's team destroying most of the Division II teams they faced, setting many a record along the way. Softball rebounded from a horrible start to finish the season above .500, both overall and in the NECC. Even as I write this, the team awaits decision on whether or not they will be invited to participate in the ECAC Post-Season tournament. Tennis had a solid season, winning it's conference, and Spring Golf had many good performances. Both Men's and Women's Crew teams had excellent seasons and hope to finish off strong at the Dad Vail Regatta in Philadelphia. The big story of the spring was the Baseball team, winning the NECC Title and reserving hope that they will be invited to the NCAA Division II Tournament. Along with winning 75% of their games, the baseball team placed six members on the All-NECC squads, as well as having Coach Jim Stone named NECC Coach of the Year and Kevin Rourke becoming the all-time winningest pitcher in UMass Lowell history. When Coach Stone told me in the beginning of the year that he thought they would have a good season, I had no idea he meant this good.

Along with being a great year for the various school sports teams, it was also a successful year for the Sports Page. This semester marked my first as editor, and I tried to make the page as good as I possibly could. I brought back features from previous years such as the Stats Page, as well as starting up new features like Sports Speak and the National Sports Scene column. Hopefully everybody enjoyed these additions and I hope to make some new additions for the upcoming fall semester.

Now, I know you have heard me complain about how I have no staff and basically do everything myself, but I can't say it enough; WE NEED YOUR HELP. The sports page did see a new addition to it's staff with Patrick Comeau joining about a month ago, and maybe this will lead to an influx of new talent with some fresh ideas to make the section even better. I understand that many people didn't want to come in halfway through the semester, so hopefully some of you will start off the new semester by trying something new, joining the Connector Sports Staff!!

I wish everybody good luck on their finals and hope everyone has productive and fun summers. Until next time...

Drew Poirier
Sports Editor



POSITIONS AVAILABLE!!!!

The University of Massachusetts Lowell Recreational Sports Office is inviting students to apply for positions for the 1995-96 school year. Positions are limited depending on the number of returning staff members and workstudy allocations.

Facility Supervisor: Responsible for the operation of Costello Gymnasium during the evenings and weekends. Responsible for security and safety in facilities as well as subordinate student employees.

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Sports

Stone Named NECC Coach of the Year

Six Players named to All-Necc First and Second Teams.

Press Release

Veteran University of Massachusetts Lowell Baseball coach Jim Stone has been voted the New England Collegiate Conference Coach of the Year for the third time in the 13-year history of the league after guiding his team to its first league crown since 1991. NECC baseball publicist Tom McDermott made the announcement.

Six members of the River hawks' pennant winning squad were also named to the first or second All-Star teams led by junior shortstop-pitcher Marc Deschenes (Dracut, Mass.) who was named to the first team at shortstop and the second team as a pitcher. Also named to the first team were senior designated hitter Keith Qualter (Billerica, Mass.), junior outfield-

ers Larry Rodgers (Tewksbury, Mass.) and Kevin Winship (West Boxford, Mass.), and senior Pitcher Kevin Rourke (Lowell, Mass.). Senior catcher Mike Cruff (Norton, Mass.) was named to the second team.

Stone guided the River Hawks to a 19-2 NECC record and the team's fourth league title (1985, 1988, 1991, 1995) in 13 years. UML was 29-8 overall, and ranked 16th in the nation among Division Two teams. The 1990 graduate of Springfield College has a 546-285-7 record in his 29 years as the River Hawks head coach.

Deschenes, one of the top shortstops in the region, batted .290 (31 for 107) with four doubles, one triple and 15 runs batted in (rbi) while making just nine errors at shortstop. On the mound,

he is 7-1 with a 2.42 earned run average (era). He has worked 67.0 innings allowing just 47 hits, 21 walks while striking out 66. He threw the first UML no-hitter since 1977 against the University of Bridgeport on April 8. Opponents are hitting just .191 against him.

Qualter is among the NECC leaders in numerous offensive categories. He hit .368 (53 for 144) with 10 doubles, three triples, nine home runs and 38 rbi. He was an All-NECC first team pick last spring in the outfield. He has 18 career homers and collected his 100th career rbi in the River Hawks' sweep of St. Rose last weekend (April 30).

Rodgers has been a pleasant addition to the River Hawks lineup. The team's only left-handed hitter, he batted .321 (43 for 134) with seven doubles, four triples, three homers and 30 rbi. Winship, a second team All-Star last spring, batted .348 (47 for 135) with a team-leading 12 doubles, two



NECC Coach of the Year Stone watches his team win.

Photo by Jerry Donovan

triples, two homers and 33 rbi. He also set a new school record for being hit by a pitch, getting plunked 18 times.

Rourke became the school's all-time winningest pitcher with his win at Keene State last week (April 25). He has an 8-1 record with a 2.10 era. The right-handed hurler has worked 77.0 innings

allowing 73 hits and 17 walks while striking out 61.

This is the second straight season that Cruff has been named to the All-NECC squad. A first team selection in 1994, he hit .271 (35 for 129) seven doubles, two triples, four round trippers and 28 rbi.

Softball Places Four on All-NECC Team

Press Release

Four members of the University of Massachusetts Lowell Softball team have been named to the All-New England Collegiate Conference Second All-Star team by a vote of the league's eight coaches. NECC Publicist Tom McDermott made the announcement.

Senior second baseman Janine Davey (Wakefield, Mass.) was the second team second baseman. Starting all 39 games she has played in, Davey batted .339 (40 for 118) with two doubles and 13 runs batted in. In 118 at bats, she has struck out only one time. In the field, Davey has a fielding percentage of .964, making just seven errors in 193 total chances. She has been involved in nine of UML's 16 double plays.

Junior shortstop Donna Mills (Lynn, Mass.) was the second team shortstop. A repeat selection from 1994, Mills has started all 41 games and batted .436 (65 for 149) with 17 doubles, eight triples, three

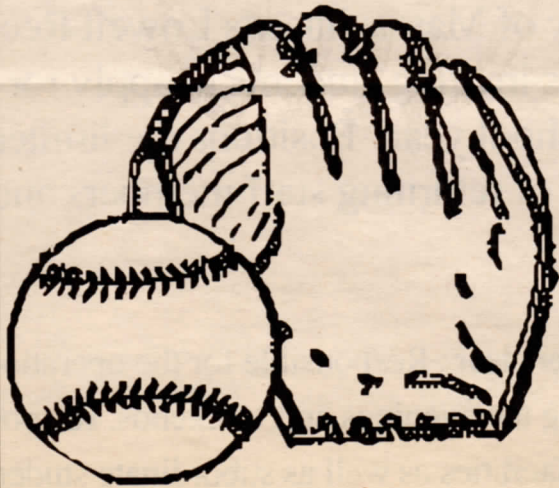
home runs and 29 runs batted in. Mills also has an on base percentage on .472 and a slugging percentage of .718. Mills was named NECC Player of the Week for games played during the week of April 17-23.

Senior outfielder Carolyn Beaulieu (Dalton, Mass.) has started all 41 games in centerfield and hit .359 (47 for 131) with 12 doubles, three triples and three home runs. In the field, she has recorded 12 outfield assists.

The fourth UML player to be selected is freshman pitcher Melissa Ottaviano (West Newbury, Mass.). Ottaviano wowed opponents in her rookie season, making 29 appearances and posting a 15-10 record with a 2.64 earned run average and 44 strikeouts in 146 innings of work. Ottaviano was named NECC Rookie of the Week on consecutive weeks (April 10-16 and

April 17-23).

The River Hawks are currently 23-22 under first-year head coach Harry Sauter. The 23 wins mark the most wins by the UML softball team since the 1987 season.



National Sports Scene

-NBA Playoff Update: Orlando leads Chicago 1-0 in east semi. Reggie Miller scores 8 points in final :17 to steal game one of east semi from Knicks. Houston survives scare, defeats Utah in five games to advance to play Phoenix.

-NHL Playoff Update: Bruins get hammered 5-0 by New Jersey Devils in game 1 of series. San Jose shocks Calgary, taking 1-0 lead in their series.

-NHL end of the year awards: Detroit Redwings win President's Cup for best regular season record. Chicago Blackhawks win Jennings Trophy for lowest goals against average.

Sports Speak...with Drew Poirier

I don't care what anybody else thinks, I have made up my mind that the baseballs are once again juiced in professional baseball. Just pick up the paper and look at almost any box score and you will see it. There are just way too many players that don't normally hit home runs cranking balls out of the park much too often.

For the people out there that have no idea what a juiced baseball is, let me explain. A juiced baseball is one that has a more tightly wound center than a normal baseball. What this does is make the ball jump off the bat with more action, in the same fashion a golf ball would. With the ball jumping off the bat with more life, it causes balls that would normally fall just short of being a home run to carry further, thus giving players more home run potential.

Now, I realize that there are many "power" hitters that aren't exactly tearing it up, Jose Canseco and Jeff Bagwell to name two. But, these aren't the players that a juiced ball helps the most. If a player like Canseco is in power slump, a juiced ball is not going to help, you could let them use a corked bat, juiced ball, or what-

ever else he wants and it probably wouldn't help that much.

It's the diminutive players like Luis Alicea and Lee Tinsley that are raising my eyebrows. I was watching Baseball Tonight the other night and was amazed by some of the balls that were flying over the walls of almost every stadium in baseball. Tiny infielders were hitting line-drive shots over the center-field wall and reaching out to slap the ball over the opposite field wall. Now, that is ridiculous. Players like that just don't hit those kinds of shots. I have no problem with Ken Griffey Jr. or Frank Thomas doing stuff like that, but these men are noted power hitters, not the singles and doubles hitters that are cracking the ball all over the park this year.

Just think of the reasoning behind juicing the ball. Baseball just came out of the longest strike in sports history, and the hierarchy of baseball needs a way to bring fans back to the stadiums. What better way than having 17-11 slug-fests like the game between the Red Sox and White Sox? Fans love home runs and they will pay to see more of them. Just watch how many home runs are hit tonight and you will see what I mean.



1995 SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

Congratulations to all the spring sports teams on excellent seasons! Good luck to all teams as they continue their seasons. The Crew team will be going on to compete at the Dad Vail Regatta and the Champion Intercollegiate Invitational Regatta. The NECC champion baseball team will hopefully get a bid to the NCAA Division II Championships. Men's Track will be competing at the IC4A Championships and NCAA Division II Championships while the women's squad is off to compete at the ECAC Division I Championships and NCAA Division II Championships.